

FATAL WORK IS DONE
BY THE WHITECAPS

FULTON, MO., MAN WAS BRUTALLY BEATEN.

He Was Charged With Ill Treating His Family—Diamond Broker Who Absconded With Valuable Jewels Is Arrested—Durrant Accuses the Minister of the Church Murder.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 26.—Whitecaps took William Massey out last night and nearly whipped him to death. It was alleged that he ill-treated his family.

Denver, Sept. 26.—Erwin Clarke, the diamond broker who fled from here July last with several thousand dollars worth of diamonds, was arrested at San Francisco today.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 26.—When the trial of Durrant for the murder of Blanche Lamont was resumed yesterday the courtroom was packed to the doors. It was the day when Eugene Duprey, counsel for the accused, would outline the defense. Counsel Duprey arraigned the papers for sensational reports, and contended that the prosecution had utterly failed to prove its points as to the whereabouts of his client on that memorable April 3, 1895. "The prosecution," said he, "has called about fifty witnesses, and nothing material has been established, nothing produced but circumstantial evidence. On the other hand, we can account for Durrant on that day from morning till late at night, and by a chain of witnesses that no jury can dispute." Continuing, he said: "We shall prove that the defendant met Blanche Lamont on the morning of that day and had a short walk with her; that he attended the lecture of Dr. Cheney at Cooper Medical College, and we will produce his notes and show he is marked present. This the prosecution has denied. We will show that he reached Emanuel church at 4:45 o'clock to fix the gas jets, which were out of order; that King was his companion throughout, and that they left the church together, Durrant walking with King for some distance; that Durrant was sickened by the escaping gas and poor ventilation. After dinner he went to church to an evening entertainment. This is our simple story."

But the sensation of the day was reached when Duprey solemnly continued, as follows: "We will then turn our attention to some evidence found in the church. We will show that the marks upon the belfry door are the marks of a chisel, and that the chisel was found in the pastor's study in a tool box. We will show you, as long as they have introduced a paper here with letters on it, compared with letters found in Emanuel church, that they are letters written by Rev. John George Gibson. If we are to act upon suspicion and worse than the defendant. We will show you that on April 3 Durrant wore a dark suit of clothes of blue cloth, while the witness Vogel said he had light trousers. We will show that the eyesight of Mrs. Leak and Mrs. Crosset is impaired, and that the evidence of witnesses Quinlan, Oppenheim, and Phillips for veracity is bad."

The first witness called was Mrs. Matilda Durrant, mother of the accused. She testified to her son's having worn on that day a dark suit of clothes, and no overcoat; that he returned home on April 3 at 6 o'clock; that he took her to the street cars at 8 p. m., and that he was in bed and asleep at 11:30, when she returned. Police Sergeant Reynolds described the chisel marks on the belfry door. He searched for a tool with which the mark might have been made, and in the pastor's study found a chisel, which fitted the marks exactly.

During the entire day Durrant was perfectly cool and unmoved. The sensational proceedings have turned the tide some in his favor.

Gentry Faces in 2:03 3-4.
Dubuque, Ia., Sept. 26.—The pacing race yesterday was the greatest event in racing circles that ever occurred in Iowa. For the first time this season the three fastest pacers in the country were matched against each other. Fido, being an Iowa horse, had the most friends. Gentry drew the pole, with Patchen second. The horses got off with Gentry slightly in the lead, which he maintained to the end, coming under the wire in 2:06 3/4. The second heat was a repetition of the first. The third and last heat the horses got off about even, Fido dropping slightly behind on the second quarter in spite of all efforts on the part of his driver. The other two came in almost neck and neck, but Gentry far enough in the lead to win the race. Time, 2:03 3/4. This was the fastest third heat ever paced or trotted and the fastest of the year.

Methodists Meet and Organize.
Elgin, Ill., Sept. 26.—Three hundred Methodist ministers met in the First church at 9 o'clock yesterday, and organized the fifty-fifth annual Rock River conference. Bishop D. A. Goodsell of San Francisco opened the exercises with a brief address, after which assisted by his cabinet of six presiding elders, he conducted sacramental services. J. W. Richards of DeKalb was unanimously elected secretary of the conference, with O. H. Cassana of Dixon and W. M. Forkel of Lanark as assistants. Aged Solomon F. Denning, 82 years old, was made honorary record-

ing secretary, an office he has held since 1847. To-day the conference will choose delegates to the general conference. A long struggle is expected and it is probable that many ballots will have to be taken before the matter is settled.

DEMOCRATS SPLIT AT SYRACUSE

The Fairchild Men Refuse to Surrender to Tammany

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Yesterday in a scene of confusion and wild excitement, followed by the cheers of the Cleveland men in the democratic state convention and the hoots and jeers of the Tammanyites, Charles S. Fairchild and his followers, of the New York state democracy, left the convention on the adoption of the report of the committee on credentials. Senator Hill voted with Tammany for the report and against the motion.

The rank and file of the state democracy were at first inclined to accept the half-loaf, but when Mr. Fairchild arrived he vigorously protested against surrendering any rights. At 9:45 the state democracy delegates held a meeting, over which Mr. Fairchild presided. Mr. Wheeler offered a resolution claiming that the vote of the state democracy entitled them as loyal democrats to full recognition in the party and that they should not accept the offer of the credentials committee. This was adopted unanimously and a committee was appointed to go before the convention with the sentiment of the body refusing the representation given them. It was 11:25 when the gavel fell and the credentials committee's report was called for. The report of the Queens and Oswego contests was read and agreed to without debate. When the New York contest was reached the resolution as adopted in committee was read during intense quiet. Then, during a roar of applause, Delegate Patterson, of Kings, offered the following: "Resolved, That upon the roll of the convention be placed the names of both sitting and contesting delegations from New York county, and that the sitting delegation have seventy votes and the contestants 35 votes, and that the state democracy elect four members of the state committee and the sitting delegations eight—subject, however, to the conceding of the party emblem to the sitting delegations in case of difference in party ticket." Mr. Bell of Kings County, chairman of the credentials committee, took the platform and advocated the adoption of the resolution. Senator Charles Guy, of Tammany, and Thomas F. Grady spoke for the Tammany democrats.

The question was put by the chair and the Patterson resolution was killed and the other resolution giving the state democracy one-fifth adopted. The Grace-Fairchild people immediately left the hall.

When the tumult had subsided the report of the committee on permanent organization was read and the chairman appointed John Boyd Thacher and James N. Sheppard to escort ex-Gov. Flower to the chair. Assuming the position of permanent chairman, Mr. Flower made a speech and the convention proceeded to business. Judge Teller of Auburn was named unanimously for judge of the court of appeals. Gen. Horatio C. King was named unanimously for secretary of state. John B. Judson of Fulton was nominated for comptroller. Norton Chase of Albany was nominated by acclamation for attorney general. D. C. Dow of Schoharie was nominated by acclamation for state treasurer.

The platform adopted indorses President Cleveland's administration. Other principal planks are:

Equal and honest enforcement of all laws; a proper observation of a day of rest and an orderly Sunday; modifications or repeal of laws unsupported by public opinion; no unjust sumptuary laws; no blue laws; recognition of the fundamental American principle of freedom of conscience; federal taxation for revenue only no government partnership with protected monopolies; no meddling with the reformed tariff to the injury and unsettling of business and industries. Sound money; gold and silver the only legal tender; no currency not convertible into coin; gradual retirement and extinction of the green-back currency; no free and unlimited coinage of silver. No entangling alliances with foreign nations; the vigorous enforcement of the Monroe doctrine. No jingoism.

At 2:18 o'clock the convention adjourned sine die.

The Des Moines Conference.

Indianola, Iowa, Sept. 26.—The first day's session of the Des Moines conference was called to order yesterday by Bishop Ninde. Sacrament was administered by the presiding elders. A. W. Armstrong of Russell was elected secretary, David Shenton of Osceola treasurer and William Stevenson of Dallas Center statistical secretary. Bishop Taylor of Africa addressed the conference. The afternoon session was given to committee work. The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society also met.

American Liner Overdue.

New York, Sept. 26.—The American liner Paris, which left this port for Southampton at 11 a. m., Wednesday, had not been reported by cable at 1 o'clock this morning. She was fully twenty-four hours over the usual time. The Majestic, which cleared Sandy Hook bar at 6 p. m. the same day, reached Queenstown yesterday. The Majestic reported passing the Paris last Saturday, but the cablegram does not give the position.

WILL BE NO STRIKE
ON THE WABASH ROAD

PEORIA ENGINEERS DENY THE RUMORS TRUTH.

Say That no Such Course is Contemplated, and Their Story is Borne Out by the Employees of the Road in Chicago—Blow at the Locomotive Brotherhood.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 26.—Engineers on the Wabash road here deny that there will be a strike on the road and say that the rumors that there would be one are unfounded.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Employees on the Wabash system in the stock yards and Englewood place no faith in the story sent from St. Louis that there would be a strike on that road. No person could be found in the stock yards or Englewood yesterday who would listen to any talk about such a move, at least for the present. A new move on the part of the company, they claimed, might stir up some trouble, but not at present. The new move has caused considerable talk. Some time ago Superintendent Mud sent letters to the engineers and firemen on the Wabash system asking them to write him personal letters telling him what unions and lodges they belonged to, and of what secret societies they were members. The men claim that the scheme is one intended to disrupt the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and they instance the case of Theodore Lowe, an engineer on the Wabash for the last fourteen years, and who was discharged yesterday.

WATERWAYS CONVENTION.

Friends of Canals and Lakes Make Their Arguments.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 26.—At the convention of the International Deep Waterways Association yesterday President Howland announced that he was in receipt of a letter from Sir MacKenzie Bowell, premier of the Dominion government, accrediting to the convention Thomas Munro, one of the greatest civil engineers in Canada, as a representative of the government. The address of L. B. Hurd, manager of the Daisy rolling mill of West Superior, was along the line of his own business experience. After calling attention to the low prices resultant from foreign competition with cheap grain, he said that cheap flour was what people wanted, and to sell wheat and flour against foreign competition we must be in a position to give a better flour than can be bought for the same money from other sources. With the completion of a channel of twenty feet from the great lakes to the Atlantic seaboard, two distinct and decided advantages over the present conditions will prevail, namely: 1. A reduction of the cost of transportation from lake ports to the Atlantic seaboard and Europe. 2. Greater dispatch in the carrying and delivery of freight destined to the markets along the Atlantic ports and to Europe. The effect of so radical a revolution in commerce cannot possibly be otherwise than wholesome. He compared ocean and lake freight rates with railroad to show the benefit from an all-water means of transportation, which he believed would be possible with a twenty-foot channel to the sea.

A number of resolutions were offered, among them one by H. W. Seymour, of Sault Ste. Marie, that the entire subject of lake levels be referred to the international commission to be appointed by the United States and the Dominion of Canada. Mr. Haupt, of the University of Pennsylvania, presented a resolution which calls for the appointment of a committee to prepare a measure for presentation to congress for the unification of local interests and the adoption of a rational plan for the improvement of the waterways lakes. All the resolutions were referred without action. After the adjournment of the convention in the afternoon the committee on nominations decided to recommend the re-election of all present officers of the association.

EVIDENCE IS CLOSED.

Arguments in Hinshaw Murder Case Begin Today.

Danville, Ind., Sept. 26.—Yesterday the court and attorneys went to Belleville to get the deposition of Mrs. Sampson Tinscher, whose health prevented her coming to court. She lives just across the street from the parsonage, and said she heard the sound of scuffling in the street, then a pistol shot, and then groans the night of the Hinshaw murder. Mrs. Milligan testified she thought she heard people running the night of the tragedy. The defense then rested, much to the surprise of all.

The defendant was not allowed to go on the stand in his own behalf, contrary to the opening speech of the defense and greatly to his own disadvantage. Many who had believed in his innocence with the belief that he would go on the stand and tell a straight story without being tangled up on cross-examination, are disappointed. It is believed that the arguments will occupy three days and the jury will not get the case until Saturday evening.

Survivor of the Chinese Massacres.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 26.—Among the passengers by the Empress of India from China, was Isabel Hartford, of Dover, N. H., one of the two adult survivors of the fearful massacre at Wha Sang, near Ku-Cheng.

MINNEAPOLIS FIRE
WAS A COSTLY ONE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BUILDING DAMAGED.

Flames Wrecked the Upper Floors and the Department Had Hard Work to Save the Building—Loss Will be Fully \$350,000—Some Other Fires.

Minneapolis, Sept. 26.—The upper floors of the Chamber of Commerce building burned this morning and the firemen had hard work to save the building. The loss is fully \$350,000.

Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 26.—Fire destroyed the entire business portion of the town of Bellefourche, the northern terminal of the F. E. and M. V. railway, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The entire town, with the exception of two buildings, was built of native pine and formed a tinder box through which the flames swept with fearful velocity. The loss is estimated at about \$100,000, about one-half of which is covered by insurance. The fire is believed to be the work of incendiaries, as a man and woman were seen standing together where it originated and left hurriedly without giving any alarm. The man is under arrest and carefully guarded for fear of lynching.

Blaze at Akron, Ohio.

Akron, O., Sept. 26.—An incendiary fire destroyed the meat packing establishment of Jacob Bradt at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The Clarendon hotel caught fire and drove the inmates into the street in their night clothes, where they remained several hours. The loss is \$20,000, with \$12,000 insurance.

FOREST FIRES IN QUEBEC.

Hundreds of Farm Houses Destroyed by Flames.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 26.—The big forest fire that has been raging for the last two days in the forests of the county of Athabasca has destroyed hundreds of farm houses. The village of Brault's Mills is wiped out, and not a building remains. Even the cattle were burned in the fields. The inhabitants fled terror stricken and barely escaped with their lives. Most of the country from Brault's Mills to Ashton is a charred and blackened waste. The fire is eating its way still further into the interior and the sky is obscured by smoke. Forestdale and Moose Park on Mitchell's road escaped the fire entirely, but along the Athabasca branch of the Grand Trunk the destruction is pitiable. The whole community has been burned out and women and children are imploring charity from passers-by. Nothing short of a heavy downpour of rain will save the timber. Reports from Maddington and St. Rosaire report the loss of scores of dwellings and barns with the season's crops.

WANTS NO THIRD TERM.

Indianapolis Journal Says President Cleveland Will Decline.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 26.—A special dispatch to the Journal says: President Cleveland will soon set at rest all talk of his ambition for a third term. A prominent member of the cabinet is authority for the statement that Mr. Cleveland has no aspirations for another term and that he will soon announce his position. The opportunity will be taken when he goes to Atlanta, where Oct. 21, he has promised to visit the exposition. In the course of the remarks he will make on that occasion Mr. Cleveland, it is promised by this cabinet member, who was principally instrumental in getting him to promise to visit Atlanta, will state that no President should aspire to more than two terms in office.

Silver Leaders in Conference.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 26.—There was a gathering of prominent silver democrats at the Southern hotel Tuesday evening. Besides Senator Vest there were Richard P. Bland and William R. Morrison. They had an extended conference, but it is not known what was discussed. It is believed, however, that Hinrichsen, Bland and Stone talked over the appointment of national silver committeemen from Illinois, Missouri and Iowa, and that an agreement was reached.

Wants Action Taken Against Packers.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Attorney General Harmon has decided to refer to the United States District Attorney at Chicago the letter received by him from Secretary Morton in regard to the alleged beef trust. Mr. Harmon will ask the district attorney to give the matter immediate attention and to take such action as in his judgment the evidence submitted as to a trust warrants.

The Russian Wheat Crop.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 26.—Thrashings of winter wheat show that the yield this season will be above the average in Central Russia and in the black soil district of the Caucasus and below the average in the northern, southern, and southwest part of Russia and in the Volga governments. In the other parts of the empire an average yield of winter wheat is expected. Summer wheat has yielded above an average crop in the southwestern, eastern, and central governments and the Caucasus, and below an average in the black soil steppe districts and southern Volga governments.

IRISHMEN PROCEED TO BUSINESS

The Meeting Makes a Declaration of Independence for Ireland

Chicago, Sept. 26.—The delegates to the Irish convention assembled yesterday at a reasonably early hour for the second day's work. While waiting for the convention to come to order the committee on permanent organization completed its report, which read as follows:

"We the members of the committee on permanent organization beg to present the following names to the convention: The Hon. J. F. Finerty, chairman; J. P. Sutton, secretary, and J. F. Keating, T. H. McGreevey and J. C. Strain, assistant secretaries. The following names are submitted for vice-presidents: J. M. Kennedy, Montana; C. D. O'Brien, St. Paul; C. F. Driscoll, New Haven; P. J. Judge, Holyoke; Cornelius Harding, Pittsburgh."

A number of telegrams and cablegrams approving the convention and endorsing the cause were read by Secretary Sutton. A noticeable fact was that most of the telegrams from Ireland came from the northern end of the island, where the national idea is supposed to have but few advocates. All these telegrams were received with great applause, especially those from Derry and neighboring towns.

The report of the committee seated all delegates except John Daugherty and John Roach, on whose behalf no fight was made in the convention. Senator Fitzpatrick read the report of the committee on permanent organization, which was adopted amid great applause. Delegate Carney, of New York, moved to add to the list of vice-presidents the name of O'Donovan Rossa, but Rossa declined peremptorily, and the matter was not put to a vote.

When Mr. Finerty arose in his place as permanent chairman of the convention he was greeted by enthusiastic applause, which lasted several minutes. Chairman Finerty said: "I have noticed in some of our American newspapers editorials questioning the prudence of our movement and laying down a policy for us to follow. They are afraid we will do something that will offend British sentiment. What do we care for English sentiment? We do not want to offend American sentiment. We do not want to offend French sentiment. We do not want to offend Russian sentiment. But we do want to offend, and seriously offend British sentiment. We sound here to-day the deathknell of whiggery in Ireland. The same spirit that animated the breasts of our fathers who met the spearmen of Strongbow stirs the Irish race to-day. We admit the physical conquest of Ireland, but we deny the moral conquest of Ireland. We have not ceased and will never cease to hate our hereditary and merciless foe."

It was said among the delegates that it was probable that the convention would adopt a declaration of independence of Ireland from British rule. This declaration, while made in Chicago, would be understood as speaking on the part of the whole Irish people, no matter where their abiding place. There was a rumor that resolutions demanding retaliatory measures for British oppression in Ireland would be introduced in the convention. It was said that these resolutions will say that an eye for eye, tooth for tooth, life for life, should be exacted by the Irish from the oppressors, and that notice should be served on the English government that for every Irish nationalist who may be punished for his love for Ireland, which the British call treason to England, the life of an English government official would be the forfeit, and the penalty would be exacted to the full. Should these resolutions be presented they will no doubt create much comment and discussion.

After assembling in the afternoon, committees were announced. O'Donovan Rossa, Major Timothy O'Leary, of Montana; Mr. McNamara, of Ohio, and others made addresses, and the convention adjourned till 10 o'clock this morning.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Parents of a Wronged Girl Killed by Her Lover.

Brooksville, Ky., Sept. 26.—One of the most sensational and shocking tragedies that ever shocked this county took place here Tuesday evening in the little village of Berlin, in Bracken county, four miles west of Brooksville. For some time there has been talk of a compromising character about the beautiful young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan and Sharpe. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan, who are among the best people of the county, met young Sharpe in Berlin, and after a short talk with him attacked him with knives. Each stabbed him time and again, and he was almost dead when he fell up against a tree-box, and, bracing himself, drew his pistol and opened fire. Mrs. McClanahan fell dead with a bullet through her heart at the first fire and her husband fell at her feet. Sharpe then fell from exhaustion and the three were taken to their homes. Sharpe declares he knows nothing of the alleged ruin of the girl and the presumption is that he was asked by the parents of the girl to marry her and that on his refusal to do so he was attacked.

Iowa United Presbyterians.

Washington, Iowa, Sept. 26.—The sixth annual meeting of the United Presbyterian synod of Iowa is in session here. Rev. J. A. Montreux of Cedar Rapids was elected moderator. The membership of this synod comprises 100 preachers.

SUPERIOR'S MAYOR
IS OUT FOR GOOD

SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS THE COUNCIL'S ACTION.

Find That the Impeaching of Rev. C. Starkweather Was Regular and the Charges Well Sustained—Viroqua Farmer Killed—Merrill Footpad Sent to Waupun—State News.

Madison, Sept. 26.—[Special]—The supreme court this morning affirmed the proceedings of the Superior city council in removing Rev. Charles S. Starkweather, "the preacher mayor." The court found the proceedings of the council in removing him to be regular; that he had taken money from city employees for his campaign expenses and that his actions indicated him to be an unfit man for the office.

Traveling Man Killed.

La Crosse, Sept. 26.—[Special]—Phil C. Gaynor, a traveling salesman, was struck by a St. Paul train at Bangor this morning and instantly killed. He was thirty-five years old, and lives at West Superior.

Prominent Viroqua Farmer Killed.

Viroqua, Sept. 26.—[Special]—Louis Thompson, a prominent farmer, was thrown under the wheels of his wagon and instantly killed, his body being terribly mangled.

Merrill Footpad Sentenced.

Merrill, Sept. 26.—[Special]—Louis Donnerstage, who was convicted of waylaying Conductor Merritt, at Tomahawk, was sentenced to six years at hard labor at Waupun today.

La Crosse Contractor Falls.

La Crosse, Sept. 26.—[Special]—W. C. Burke, a prominent contractor, assigned this morning. The assets are \$34,000 and liabilities \$11,000.

Grand Traverse Is Safe.

Green Bay, Wis., Sept. 26.—The Lackawanna Transportation Company's steamer Grand Traverse arrived here yesterday, forty-eight hours overdue. The steamer was caught in Sunday night's hurricane and ran back to Garden Island. She had a rough experience, but was not damaged.

A KANSAS TRAGEDY.

Desperate Attempt at Double Murder at Norton Yesterday.

Norton, Kan., Sept. 26.—Morgan Heaton, made a desperate attempt yesterday to kill J. M. Craig, a Plattsmouth, Neb., banker, and failing, turned his revolver on Cashier W. T. Shoemaker of the Norton State Bank. The bullet directed at the latter also went wide its mark, and Heaton was finally arrested. Craig was one of the defendants in a case recently brought by Heaton's wife, which was decided against Heaton. Feeling between the two men has been bitter since then and at 9 o'clock yesterday when they met on a prominent street Heaton fired three shots at Craig. Intense excitement followed the shooting and in the melee Heaton escaped. When it was found that Craig was uninjured attention was turned to Heaton. He had made for the Norton State Bank. Upon entering the building he went immediately to Cashier Shoemaker's desk and fired a shot at that official. Heaton's aim again proved untrue and he was arrested before he could fire another time.

WRECKED A CIRCUS.

High Wind Does Much Damage at Burlington, Iowa.

Burlington, Ia., Sept. 26.—Barnum & Bailey's circus was partly wrecked here yesterday afternoon by a wind and rain storm shortly after the conclusion of the matinee performance. The canvas of the main amphitheater was blown to shreds and several of the main supports were broken and in falling crushed the seats. The animal tent and the boarding tent suffered a like disaster. Three stakemen are reported to have been killed in the wreck. The animal tent blew down on top of the cages without injuring the latter, but the animals, and especially the elephants, became unmanageable and the wildest confusion reigned. Their terror set at defiance all the usual authority and their keepers were powerless to check the stampede. Help finally came from some of the other employees and the animals were subdued before they had succeeded in gaining their freedom.

Outlaws Kill an Entire Family.

Guthrie, O. T., Sept. 26.—Three desperadoes rode up to the home of Tom Davidson, near Cushing, before daylight yesterday morning and demanded admittance. Davidson refused. Thereupon the outlaws opened fire on Davidson's house. Neighbors found Davidson and two daughters dead and his wife fatally wounded.

Another American Prize Captured.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 26.—Miss Virginia Fair, the California heiress, and sister of Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, is engaged to Count Staristarpoff, who has been prominent in Russian society for the past two seasons. By her mother's will she received \$1,500,000, and that is only a trifle to what she expects to own when her father's estate is settled.

Coal Prices Advanced.

New York, Sept. 26.—The leading New York anthracite coal companies having Western connections yesterday ordered an advance of 50 cents per ton on all sizes at Chicago, Milwaukee, and the head of Lake Superior.

WOOL DROPS BACK TO LOWEST MARK

ROCK COUNTY PRICES FORCED DOWN AGAIN.

Advance Was For Speculative Purposes and Lasted But a Short Time—M. H. Soverhill Says That the Buying Season is Practically at an End.

Back to low water mark the price of wool has dropped. Very little Rock county wool is coming in now—most of it has been marketed—and what does come is sold at discouraging figures. Prices are as low as they have been any time this year.

"About eight to seven and a half cents is the range," said M. H. Soverhill today. "The choicest quarter blood being a shilling, half blood ten cents and fine eight cents. In the democratic papers around here, prices are still quoted at ten to fifteen cents but none of the farmers expect any such prices and do not ask for them."

Wool raisers tell the same story. The prices have been so low this year under the beneficial free wool tariff that no profit is left. The advance two years ago was for speculative purposes only and lasted but a very short time.

JOHN KNIPSHIELD'S AWFUL DEATH

The Tiffany Man Who Fell on a Crowbar Showed Great Endurance.

Tiffany, Sept. 26—John Knipshield was unable to rally from the shock and injury he sustained by impalement on an iron crowbar last Saturday, and death closed his sufferings on Monday forenoon. An eye witness to the accident states that Mr. Knipshield had been using the bar on the cylinder teeth, and on completing his work threw it to the ground, one end entering the earth to some depth, the bar leaning towards the machine. He then stepped down onto the wheel and jumped back wards, striking on the point, and hanging there with his feet dangling from the ground, when with superhuman energy, he reached down, caught the bar with one hand, and raised himself off from it, and staggering, fell. It is thought by those present that the bar entered his body some ten or twelve inches.

Mr. Knipshield was a fine specimen of physical manhood and was one of the Turtle and La Prairie tug of war team at the picnic in Bradford last Fourth of July, where his superb exhibition of strength and endurance excited general admiration. In lifting himself off the bar it is thought it was twisted around in his body and his internal organs badly injured.

He was born in Dane county, Wis., but has lived for many years on his farm in La Prairie. His age was forty-seven years. Of strict integrity, industrious, social and helpful he was universally esteemed by all who came in contact with him. He leaves a wife and children to mourn the loss of a loving and kind husband and father. He was an active member of the Shipore Woodmen Camp, the members of which take charge of the funeral arrangements.

The funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 o'clock in the Catholic church in Beloit, Mr. Knipshield having been for many years a member of that denomination.

THE WEEK'S EVENTS AT AFTON

Modern Woodmen Change Their Meeting Night—Other News.

Afton, Sept. 26.—At their regular meeting held last Friday evening, the Modern Woodmen decided to change their time of meeting from Friday to Saturday evening. Consequently, the meetings of Afton Camp will be held on the first and third Saturday evenings of each month hereafter. Workmen are engaged in the erection of the new coal shed at the school house. While the wind which raged Sunday was one of the hardest blows on record for this section, the principal damage resulting therefrom, so far as reported, seems to have been the tearing to pieces of corn shocks and the blowing over of fences. J. W. Searles is supplying more Afton people with coal this week, having received two more carloads Monday. Janesville parties were down Monday negotiating for the purchase of the Litton store property. Messrs. John Kilmer and George S. Otis were a part of the Afton contingent who visited the state metropolis last week. Harry E. McCrea is home, enjoying a short rest from his labors as telegraph operator at Appleton. Harry S. Bixby, of Le Mars, Iowa, who was here as a telegraph student a portion of last year under the Agent Searles, has returned to finish his tele-

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graphic education. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kilmer arrived from Kankakee, Ill., last week, for a short visit with Afton and Janesville friends. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schoof came down from Helenville, Wis., last week, in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Schoof's sister, Miss Sophia Holzapfel. Miss Holzapfel is a trifle better at this writing.

THE NEWS FROM INDIAN FORD.

Storm Did Some Damage and Caused People to Go into Cellars.

Indian Ford, Sept. 26—Mrs. Charles Hallett is very sick at this writing. Sunday night's storm broke some of the shade trees in the school house park and also blew down a tobacco shed for Ed. Hopkins of Edgerton. John Searcliff and Wallace Hallett have been shaking hands with Janesville friends the past week. Mr. Alverson is putting a tub in his well so as to get more water. Mrs. Brown, our school teacher, went to Center last Friday and returned Wednesday. Fred Leitz is nursing a boil on his jaw. Sunday night's storm sent a good many into their cellars in this village. George Lackner is putting new siding on his barn. Mrs. Jeske has a very sick child. Dr. McChesney is in attendance. Miss N. Connors of Janesville is staying a few days with the H. Hallett family. Mr. and Mrs. James McCann were welcome callers at William Plarity's. H. H. Brace transacted business in the Ford yesterday. G. S. Chamberlain will build a cyclone cellar in the near future.

BEYERS STUMBLED UPON A PARTY

Friends Surprise Him and Celebrate His Wooden Wedding in Due Form.

Theodore Beyers found his Prospect avenue home dark when he walked in with C. E. Herrmann last night. He got fairly into the sitting room and somebody turned up the gas, and thirty or forty people said "Glad to see you."

It was Mr. and Mrs. Beyers' wooden wedding day—that's how the gathering came to be arranged. The guests came early and they stayed late enough to be sure that the anniversary had been properly observed. An oaken rocker was presented to the host and hostess during the evening and generous refreshments were served.

A Hard Sort of a Man to Fit.

The experience that a tall, slender fellow has in a clothing store when looking for a suit: He has to take a coat that is too short at waist, the sleeves are too short and the pants never the right measurement for him. After the alterations then he gets a patched up suit. What is the use boys? You are foolish to take such a rig from any store. The garments weren't made for your shape and you look awkward in them. If you intend getting a suit for fall don't let anybody rope you in with such stuff, but first see our "Pickwick Slims" and "extra longs," cut for the tall, slender fellows and shaped just right for your form. No alterations to fit you. We'll surprise you if you will call on us. T. J. Ziegler.

How Long

Do you suppose Marshall & Co. would make their famous shoes if they didn't give the best of satisfaction? They leave the factory and the manufacturer knows that they are up in quality in every way. We sell them and save you money on every pair. Lowell's Annex.

Cold Weather Stoves

We have in plenty. Our basement contains many second-hand stove bargains, all nicely blacked and in good repair. If you are going to buy a stove and don't want to spend much money, come and see us. Lowell Hardware Co.

Genuine Kangaroo Cat.

School shoe. We open the early fall season with a line of this popular material at prices that will interest every careful economical buyer. We solicit your inspection. We make no charge for showing the goods. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Our Window.

Our Milwaukee street window has one of those new gasoline grates in it. It's a new idea that is very practical. Can be run at little cost, and takes the chill off the room these cold days. Lowell Hardware Co.

On Short Notice

We can repair your old furnace or put a new one in. Our men are experienced, our goods are first-class and prices are cheap. Lowell Hardware Company.

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Overalls are strictly union made. They cost a little more than cheap trash, but are strong and good in every particular. Frank H. Pasch.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS.

STAR OF AMERICA.

STAR OF AMERICA is a fine 10c cigar. TWENTY styles of vinegar bottles, 10c up, at Wheelock's.

G. A. PRECTOR has a few choice new milch cows for sale. Enquire at 123 East Milwaukee street.

SMOKERS come and buy one of the Star of America and if dissatisfied we will gladly refund 10c for the same. It costs but 10c to get one at J. L. Spellman's.

We claim the Star of America is the very best 10 cent cigar in the market and every box has the B. L. on it and union No. 290 furnish the men to make them.

Your feet artistically fitted for as little money as possible. We are the largest shoe house in Janesville, and suit as well as fit your feet and purse. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

MINOR'S MILL RUNS AFTER A LONG REST

THE ARRANGEMENT IS ONLY A TEMPORARY ONE.

They Have the Lease of the Cotton Mills "First Water" While the Latter is Shut Down—Local Power Owners Much Interested in the "Horicon Marsh Scheme."

For the first time since last June the Minor Ford flouring mill at the head of the race is in operation. The water has been so low that they could get no power, and the arrangement that enables the wheels to run now is but a temporary one.

"The cotton mills have closed down said Mr. Minor 'and we at once contracted for 'first water' with the arrangement that we could have it during the day. The gates are closed promptly at six to allow sufficient water to collect to run the Norcross electric light machinery at night. As long as the cotton mills remain closed we can run."

Janesville mill men have lost a good many hundred dollars because of the low water this season, and are therefore much interested in the outcome of a new plan that has been proposed for the disposition of the Horicon marsh, and said to be backed by the owners of water power along Rock river.

The power of the Rock river has deteriorated quite as much during the past summer as that of the Fox river and even more so. What Lake Winnebago has been to the Fox river, Horicon marsh or Horicon lake, as it used to be termed, is to Rock river. But the marsh has no big feeders like the upper Fox and the Wolf, and for the past two seasons the water has been lowering steadily, until at the present time there is scarcely enough water in places, to float the lightest skiff.

Two Ideas in Conflict.

Years ago there was a big dam at the mouth of the lake and in those days water power men on the Rock river complained of an insufficient head of water. The water power men came to the front a few days ago with a plan to build a newer and bigger dam and convert the marsh into a big reservoir. The spring rains will easily fill the marsh and keep full until fall, and then the water is to be let down the river as wanted.

The plan would undoubtedly result most advantageously to the industries along the Rock river, but while active preparations are being made to carry the dam project through another plan is being quietly pushed in Chicago having for its purpose exactly the opposite aim of the water-power men. It is the plan to build a drainage system and drain off what little water is left in the marsh and in this way reclaim thousands of acres of land. One of the parties most interested in the scheme is a Mr. Henderson. At the present time Mr. Henderson has a suit pending in the United States court in which he seeks to have the decree of Judge Jenkins, on which the marsh was sold, set aside. Mr. Henderson's claims attacks the titles to part of the marsh before the decree was entered, and he lays claim to ownership of a full one-third of the property, or nearly 4,000 acres.

Cannot Reach the Ducks.

Mr. Henderson figures that a drainage system can be constructed at a comparatively small cost, just below the mouth of the marsh where the dam was in a small pond, but the level of the pond is several feet below that of the marsh. Mr. Henderson's plan is to begin the main channel at this point and dig it clear through the marsh with intersecting channels. It is figured that eventually the swamp will be thoroughly drained, though it may be necessary to keep the main channel open continually. But nothing will be done about draining the marsh until the court has passed upon Mr. Henderson's rights.

The extremely low water in the marsh has seriously affected its value as a duck preserve, as it is now impossible to reach the best shooting places, where the ducks take refuge, and the hunters are unable to get them up. The hunting clubs therefore want more water, but they don't want quite as much as the water power men believe is necessary. A gun club is interested in the marsh to the extent of a lease that holds good for many years, according to the document itself. Judge Jenkins, however, has decided that the lease is worthless, but General Winkler, acting for the gun club, has rendered an opinion in which he says that the lease holds good and that there are defects of sale.

Big Prices Is Asked.

Unquestionably either of the interested parties could buy the marsh, but the figures are high. At the marsh's sale the gun clubs made an offer of about \$5 per acre for the 11,000 acres of marsh. The Lombard Investment Company and the Keene Five Cents Savings bank, which had big mortgages on the property, however, bid in for something more than \$31,000 in the aggregate. The mortgages on the property amounted to more than \$64,000. At the present time the big marsh is of little value to anyone, though the neighboring farmers have cut hundreds of tons of marsh hay from the firmer ground. There is little doubt that the property would be of the greatest value to Rock river water power men, even to the extent, it is said, in warranting them in purchasing it outright and then erecting the proposed dam.

WHO IT TO BLAME? Is It Not a Case of Guilty Neglect?

A Terrible Responsibility Rests With Somebody.

A Serious Question to a Great Many, and a Sad One.

Who is to blame? Surely someone is to blame for the enormous amount of sickness and suffering in the world. Too often people are prone to throw the responsibility for their condition upon some higher power. In nine cases out of ten this is wrong, for in most cases the blame is with the sufferer.

It has been shown by constantly demonstrated fact, proven by the experience of thousands upon thousands of people that most of the difficulties and diseases from which people suffer are easily and readily cured by the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which is, without doubt, the greatest medical discovery of modern times. It is sure to cure disease.

Mrs. Wm. M. Strong, who lives in Waitsfield, Vt., says:

"About ten years ago I had a very severe attack of typhoid fever, which left one side of my body in a very bad condition. One limb swelled badly, and every time I bore my weight on that limb, it seemed as though my hip would unjoint. The pain was dreadful and I have never been free from that pain during all these years.



MRS. WM. M. STRONG.

"About a year ago the trouble took a different form, going into my arm also. My arm pained me terribly, and when I attempted to lift anything with that hand, my fingers would let go and it would not grip anything. I had no strength in that arm."

"This condition of my arm and limb, both on the same side continued up to about six months ago. My head troubled me very bad. If anything came upon me suddenly; a fearful sensation came over me, starting from the top of my head, and for a short time I was entirely lost as though I was entirely gone."

"The same awful feeling would commence if I got very tired, or if many were talking at once. I do not know exactly how to describe my sensation in my head in words, but it was deadly and I suffered very much. Seemed to me as though something gave away in my head, and I was gone."

"I certainly felt a good deal alarmed about my condition and I could not have lasted a great while longer if I had not found help."

"I consulted and employed many doctors, who said there was no help for me as it was the result of typhoid fever, and did not so much as relieve the pain. My sister informed me of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and advised me to try it, saying that it had helped her greatly."

"The results are, that after three bottles the pain is all gone from my limbs, and the pain and deadly feeling in my head is relieved. I am able to comfortably do the work in my family for five and six all the time."

"I do most heartily recommend Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy to anyone suffering as I was."

If our readers will take example from this case—and such cases are constantly being reported in the newspapers—much of the sickness and suffering which renders life a burden, will be removed. It is a fact that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy does cure.

It is not a patent medicine but the prescription of one of the most successful specialists in curing nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th street, New York City. He has the largest practice in the world, and this grand medical discovery is the result of his vast experience. The great reputation of Dr. Greene is a guarantee that his medicine will cure, and the fact that he can be consulted by any one at any time, free of charge, personally or by letter, gives absolute assurance of the beneficial action of this wonderful medicine.

THE SLATE FOR THIS EVENING.

LIGHT Infantry drill.

ALI BABA at the Myers Grand.

PUBLIC dance of the Imperial band.

KNIGHTS Templar at Masonic hall.

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You take no chances when you buy shoes of us. If they fail to give proper service we are here to make them satisfactory. We guarantee the wear of every shoe we sell. Could you ask for more? Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

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MERRY "ALI BABA" COMES TONIGHT

HENDERSON'S GREAT EXTRAVAGANZA COMPANY HERE.

They Came on Their Special Train of Nine Cars and Everything is Ready For the Great Production This Evening—Fine Scenic Effects and the Famous Cast.

Tonight will be a night of merriment. Henderson's great big American Extravaganza Company arrived in this city today upon their special train of nine cars and are preparing for their performance of "Ali Baba; or Morgana and the Forty Thieves," which will be given at the Myers Grand tonight. This really great organization comes direct from the Chicago Opera House, where they have been playing all summer. Last season Manager Henderson astonished the theatrical public by presenting "Sinbad," which through its extravagant scenes and oriental splendor created a regular furor wherever presented, and now he has succeeded in telling the story of "Ali Baba" with even more success than "Sinbad" attained. No doubt the American public like operatic extravaganzas when properly presented. There can be no better evidence of this than the crowds that have flocked to see "Ali Baba" at the Chicago opera house all summer.

Economy seems to have been unknown to Mr. Henderson in the preparation of "Ali Baba;" money has been expended lavishly, yet as he has proven, wisely. The scenes, heights of Bagdad, Ali Baba's humble home, exterior of the Caliph's palace are master pieces in their way. The grand transformation scene, "The Birth of the Butterfly," designed and painted by Frederick Dangerfield, easily leads as the most beautiful finale for any spectacular piece. In "Ali Baba" there are entrancing oriental scenes, bewildering ballets, lovely dances and attractive premieres. There is a perfect wealth of crisp songs, with catchy airs, and it is almost certain these will be whistled all over town when "Ali Baba" is gone.

Fine Players in the Cast.

The cast which will present "Ali Baba" here tonight is the strongest Mr. Henderson has got together during the nine years of the American Extravaganza Company's existence. Among the members of the company is William Broderick, who will be remembered as the great baritone with Emma Abbott. He is said to be, by all the papers of Chicago, the best singer and actor that Henderson ever had in his company. Another notable acquisition to the company is Mr. Ezra Kendall, one of the quaintest character comedians in this country. Mr. Kendall has been starring for the past seven years, but Manager Henderson secured his services for this production.

John J. Burke, who was enthusiastically recognized throughout America during the run of "Aladdin Jr.," last year as the best low comedian the American Extravaganza company ever had will also be a member of the organization. John E. Cain, a Californian comedian of note, is also a member of the cast, those clever Arabian acrobats, Ali and Beni, who impersonate the donkey and lion. The women of the company include Miss Allene Crater who has been written up as one of the greatest beauties upon the American stage; Miss Nellie Black, who for her dash and refinement as the principal boy, has no equal in this country; Miss Bessie Lynch will play the character part. Frl. Martha Irmiler, premiere danseuse assoluta, and Signor Stancifiori are with the company.

The engagement is for one night only, and those wishing seats had better get them early this evening, as the sale has been going rapidly ever since the box office opened.

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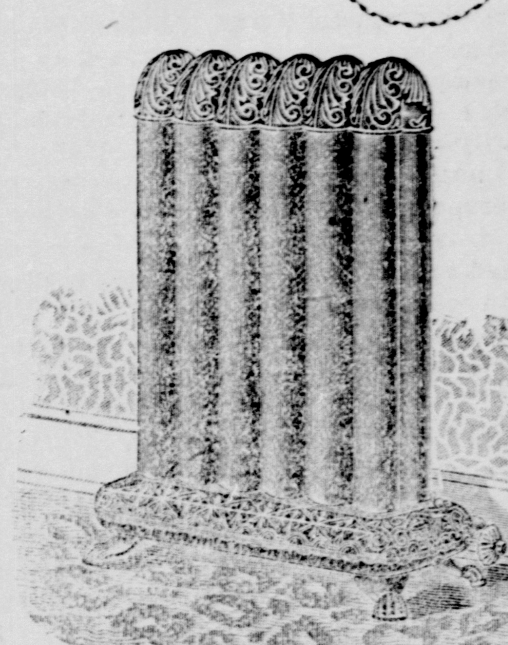
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THE PLAIN TRUTH BY A WELL KNOWN PHYSICIAN, ABOUT THE KIDNEYS AND THE BLOOD.

How to Cure Blood Diseases by Curing the Kidneys, The Action on the Blood of Asparagus, and Sparagus Kidney Pills.

Every physician knows that our kidneys are natural filters. Our kidneys filter our blood. Blood diseases are caused by badly filtered blood.

When the kidneys are well they keep the body well by keeping the blood pure. When they are ill they filter the blood badly and make us ill.

The sick kidneys can be made well by Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills, and this is what John Dobson says of it:

Office of John Dobson, 85-87 Dearborn St., Chicago, July 20, 1895. Hobb's Medicine Co.:

Gentlemen—Being convinced of the truth, so persistently iterated by you, that upon the kidneys depend almost entirely the purity of the blood, and that therefore all blood diseases could be cured by treating the kidneys, I decided to make a fair trial of Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills in my practice.

Previous to this I had many cases which I had found I could only temporarily relieve with ordinary drugs, and I hoped, with the aid of the special preparation of Asparagus Officialis (from which, as you have explained to me, your pills are made), to obtain much better results.

I was not disappointed. From the very beginning, the results I got were to me, as a physician, astonishing.

In rheumatism and gout, those diseases which we are often unable to do more than relieve—sometimes not that—Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills almost invariably effected a cure.

Kidney troubles, diabetes, pain in the back, sleeplessness and all that train of disorders, were relieved in a few doses and sooner or later cured.

In anaemia, chlorosis, general depression, nervous headache, hysteria, neuralgia, etc., the effects were perhaps even more marvelous, the patient seeming to wake up into new life, with new energy, new ambition, new blood and new complexion.

"I have now used Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills for some time, and have decided to use them constantly. I know of no preparation which has such immediate and lasting curative power over all diseases caused by impure or vitiated blood.

Wishing you every success, and that your remedy may become as widely known as it should, I remain sincerely yours

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Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills owe their curative power to the healing and tonic properties of Asparagus on the kidneys. It is a real tonic and strengthener. It builds up the kidneys, and through them cleanses and revitalizes the blood.

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Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills are for sale at all druggists, price 50 cents a box, or will be sent to any address postpaid, on receipt of price.

An interesting pamphlet on the subject will be mailed free to any address. Hobb's Medicine Company, Chicago or San Francisco.

Jefferson County Fair.

For the above occasion the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at reduced rates to Jefferson, Wis., and return. Tickets on sale from September 30 to October 4, inclusive, good for return passage to October 5, 1895. For tickets and full information, apply to agents C. & N. W. Ry.

There are many good reasons why you should use One Minute Cough Cure. There are no reasons why you should not, if in need of help. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. D. Stevens.

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Did You Ever Fall Over a Precipice,

Or hold up the Washington Monument on the pit of your stomach—in a dream? Did you ever wake up in a cold sweat, caused by some horrible phantasm? If so, the wisest thing that you could have done to renew your slumber undisturbed by the nightmare, would have been to take some Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which would have tranquilized you and relieved the indigestion, which was, perhaps, the author of your hideous dream. Indigestion, nightmare, indigestion are easily remedied by Hostetter's. Resort to it, also, if you are troubled with chills and fever, liver or kidney trouble, constipation, neuralgia or rheumatism. If you have lost your appetite don't go to the expense of advertising for it, but take the Bitters. Then will "good digestion wait on appetite and health on both." Just before retiring is a very suitable time to swallow a wine-glassful.

Union Fair at Lodi, Wis.

For the above occasion the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at reduced rates to Lodi and return. Tickets on sale from September 30 to October 3, inclusive, good for return passage to October 4, 1895. For tickets and full information, apply to agents C. & N. W. Ry.

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BLIND MAN ROBBED BY DRUNKS.

C. D. Evans the Victim of Shameless Thieves at Waterloo, Ia.

C. D. Evans, the blind musician, was robbed by toughs in Waterloo, Ia., Monday. The theft had novel features. Mr. Evans was running his one-man band on the streets and spectators were liberally dropping their pennies, nickels and dimes into a small box displayed for the purpose on top of his carry-all. The practice on the part of a few honest contributors of making change in the box suggested a plan to Joe. Hurley and W. S. Douglas whereby they might profit a few dimes at the expense of the unfortunate musician. They proceeded to make change in the box as did their honest neighbors, except that honesty was not an element in their transactions. They would drop a coin of nominal value in the box and take from it several times its value. The proceeds would then be invested in beer. They had proceeded with their depredations but a short time when detected by by-standers, in whose minds their actions had bred suspicion. They were immediately arrested by Constable Carl Munger and a deputy and arraigned before Justice Miller.

The first charge preferred was that of intoxication. Both were found guilty. Douglas was given five days in jail, while Hurley was called upon to contribute \$5 and costs.

They will be tried for larceny before Judge Miller next Monday.

THE CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE

Prices of Grain and Provisions On the Board of Trade Today.

The following table shows the range of prices of grain and provisions on the Chicago market today, the figures being furnished The Gazette by James H. McDonald & Company, commission merchants, in the William block, on the Corn exchange.

Description	Open- ing	High- est	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Dec.	59 1/4	61 1/4	59 1/4	61 1/4
May.	62 1/4	64 1/4	62 1/4	64 1/4
CORN—				
Oct.	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4
Dec.	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4
May.	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4	29 1/4
OATS—				
Dec.	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4
May.	20 1/4	21 1/4	20 1/4	21 1/4
BARLEY—				
Oct.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Jan.	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4
LARD—				
Oct.	5 7/8	5 7/8	5 7/8	5 7/8
Jan.	5 80	5 82	5 80	5 85
S. RIBS—				
Oct.	5 07	5 17	5 07	5 15
Jan.	5 45	5 50	5 45	5 50

Elkhorn Fair and Races.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. will sell excursion tickets at a fare and a third for the round trip to Elkhorn on account of the Walworth county fair and races from September 23 to 27 inclusive, good for return and including September 29. Trains leave Janesville at 7 a. m. and 11 p. m.

SAY, why don't you try DeWitt's Little Early Risers? These little pills cure headache, indigestion and constipation. They're small but do the work. C. D. Stevens.

A Small Family

Could not do better than to either correspond or see us on the sale or rental of the house and lot we have facing Riverview Park. The house is heated by steam radiator in every room, and fine Magee range in kitchen, connected with hot and cold water, bath room, water closet, stationary laundry tubs, perfect sewerage and shades for all windows, newly papered, hard wood floor. In fact, is a model house and just right for a small family. Carriage house line passes the door and within two and a half blocks of the street cars. We are the boys for business. Will sell, rent or trade to some one. Lowell Hardware Co., Milwaukee street.

A. G. Bartley of Magic, Pa., writes: "I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg." C. D. Stevens.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

GUNTHER, the celebrated candy manufacturer of Chicago, has put in a stock of his goods at Heimstreet's drug store.

OST—A heavy gray wool blanket shawl, in or near this city. Finder please return to this office.

FOUND—A gray coat on Milwaukee avenue, about three miles out. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

FOR RENT—New ten room house, 2 Caroline street.

YOU can get postal cards, stamps, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, and 10 cent, immediately. Dry, stamped envelopes, all kinds, at all hours, at Heimstreet's drug store.

MONEY TO LOAN—Whitehead & Smith.

FOR SALE—Family horse, cart and harness. Enquire at Will Davis' livery.

FOR SALE—A new house with large lot and good well near the Madison road. Will be sold at a bargain. J. K. F. O.

BRIEF CITY NEWS NOTES.

We shall hold over until Saturday night several hundred of the beautiful capes and jackets, giving you a chance to see these stylish goods. About one hundred ladies have already purchased. They found styles correct, qualities ahead of their expectations and prices low. You would do well to secure a garment now. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SINCE the cold weather commenced, we have been busy selling good shoes. We have steadfastly maintained our high standard of quality, and shall continue to absolutely guarantee every shoe we sell. As we bought early in April, prior to the advance, we are naturally showing the finest at the lowest price. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

We are showing the finest line of buggies of all kinds in the city. Our repository is filled with elegant rigs of all kinds. We are selling lots of vehicles, and expect the largest trade this fall we have ever had. We can make it an object for you to buy. F. A. Taylor.

THERE are many people scattered around the country that would gladly give us testimonials on Henney buggies. A Henney once bought is always highly spoken of. We can make buggy purchases a necessity if you will give us the chance. F. A. Taylor.

OUR \$3 stiff hats are all this year's blocks and as good material as can be bought in this price hat. We are having a great many calls for hats both stiff and soft at present. It's a good time to purchase. Frank H. Baack.

OPEN EVENINGS—For the convenience of those wishing to transact business with The Gazette evenings, the office will be kept open until 9 o'clock every Tuesday and Friday evening.

It won't cost you anything to look at the Pascha soft hat. It's a dandy all around hat and cannot help pleasing you. We have them in several shades. Frank H. Baack.

GRUAT preparations have been made for the dance tonight, given by the Imperial Band in the Armory. Smith's orchestra will furnish music, and everybody is invited.

BARGAINS to all is our motto. You can save money by calling on us. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Are of great variety both in black and white all dainty, pretty and cheap. Lowell's Annex.

NOTHING so distressing as a hacking cough. Nothing so foolish as to suffer from it. Nothing so dangerous if allowed to continue. One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

Her Face Her Fortune.

A pretty face might win its way to some rich man's heart, but nice fitting shoes are one of the qualifications that maintain the old toy's affections. We have the shoes that fill the bill. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. De Witt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure, and are the best. C. D. Stevens.

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My house, barn, and four full lots on Hickory street, just off Fourth avenue. Will make it a bargain to some one. Enquire at Gazette office.

H. F. BLISS.

Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga.

For the above event the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell excursion tickets from Sept 15 to Dec. 31, 1895, good for return until, and including Jan. 7, 1896. The rate of round trip will be 75 per cent. of double lowest first class fare.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better results; better try it. C. D. Stevens.

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It causes health to bloom, and joy to reign throughout the frame.

IT NEVER FAILS TO CURE.

"My wife has been under treatment of leading physicians three years, without benefit. After using three bottles of Bradfield's Female Regulator she can do her own cooking, milking and washing."

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Prentice & Evenson, druggists, Janesville, Wis.

Business Building

We are studying now days. Its quite an art we find to build up a trade. The public must be pleased in every way and to please the purchaser and retain his custom you must from the start give him

FULL VALUE FOR HIS MONEY

That is just what we have set out to do.

OUR STOCK OF GROCERIES

Is fresh every article of it, and if good treatment and goods won't hold trade, nothing will.

THOMPSON & HALL.

Christman's old stand on River Street.

FURS! FURS!

REMODELED AND REPAIRED.

Next season's shapes now ready. Orders for new Fur Garments taken for winter delivery and payment. Lowest prices for reliable work. Kindly call and inspect our complete line of Fine Furs at the Grand Hotel Saturday, September 28th.

Wm. Reckmeyer & Co.,
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NEW STOCK OF GLASSWARE :

Came Saturday direct from the factory. Many pretty things and none of them cost you over

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in a questionable company is not cheap at any price.

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has much in common with banking. Reliability is what you pay for.

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Highest Award World's Fair.

If you want the finest quality cut glass, buy goods having this trade mark.

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E. W. LOWELL,

President.

Represented by

H. G. CLIZBE.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure Blind Bleeding, Ulcerated and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and Itching for the private part and not for else. Every box is guaranteed sold by druggists, sent by mail, for 50c, and 1 per box. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS CO. Prop's, Cleveland, O.

For sale by Prentice & Evenson, Janesville

Railroad Time-Tables.

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton	6:35 a m	9:30 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a m	8:25 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p m	12:40 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p m	1:30 a m
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	6:30 a m	1:30 a m
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p m	11:40 a m
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, DeKalb & Omaha line	12:30 p m	9:20 a m
Beloit & Rockford	6:35 p m	7:45 p m
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	6:40 a m	12:15 p m
Watertown, Fond Du Lac, Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 p m	10:40 p m
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p m	
Watertown	8:25 p m	7:50 a m
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon		
Madison & Elroy	6:30 a m	
Evansville Madison Elroy		
La Crosse Winona & St Paul	10:55 a m	3:05 p m
Leyden, Elroy, Evansville	9:45 a m	3:17 a m
Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	7:50 p m	12:05 a m
Evansville Madison St Paul	9:30 p m	6:35 a m
Evansville Madison St Paul	1:30 a m	6:35 p m
Winona & Dakota	7:30 a m	
Evansville Madison & Elroy	7:30 a m	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p m	
* Daily, * Sunday only.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Milwaukee Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 a m	9:30 a m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	7:30 a m	6:35 p m
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	4:40 p m	7:45 a m
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p m	5:30 p m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit. (daily)	1:10 p m	1:00 p m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha, and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	1:10 p m	4:05 p m
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:55 p m	5:40 p m
Beloit and Rockford mixed	9:35 p m	4:40 p m
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:30 a m	5:40 p m
Monroe and Mineral Point, mixed	6:15 a m	5:30 p m
Monroe and Mineral Point	7:15 a m	8:30 p m
* Sunday only		

MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE

MAILS, EXPRESS AND CLOTH		
JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:30 a.m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 p.m.	8:30 p.m.
North and West, via. Madison	6:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
1902	11:30 a.m.	
SUNNY F.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
North, Northwest, Etc.	12:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
ORDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South		7:30 a.m.
STAGE MAILS:		
Johns and Richmond	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Edwards Grove and Fair		

THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE

THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER

Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis., as second-class matter.

CARRYING TURKEY.

Before it was known that the sultan would accede to the demand of the powers, the London Spectator published an article on the form dismemberment would probably take at this time. In its opinion Russia would get Armenia. Macedonia would go to Austria. The share of Greece would be Epirus and most of its islands, including Cyprus. Syria would be allotted to France and Tripoli to Italy. Great Britain would take Egypt and either Lesbos or Mytilene for a naval station. The fate of Constantinople would be in doubt. Russia has the best geographical claim to it, but the old international jealousies would probably place it in the hands of a weak power, like Bulgaria. Some such distribution as is here outlined will eventually occur. There is an irrepressible conflict in Turkey between the Christian and the Mussulman, and Europe is on the side of the Christian.

NEW APPORTIONMENT NEEDED.

You hear a good deal of democratic talk on the "disgraceful" plan to make a new apportionment this winter. The only disgraceful thing about it is the apportionment which will be set aside.

Nobody but Vilas partisans can object to a special session of the legislature to reapportion the state on fair non-partisan lines.

There would be no shadow of justice in letting the crooked, degenerate gerrymander stand under any circumstances. Especially is there need of change now that the census has made the old apportionment wholly out of date.

COMPTROLLER MIGHT SAVE MONEY.

At first glance a comptroller seems a needless luxury in a city of Janesville's size. Such an officer might, however, more than pay his way. Under the present system the auditing of bills is left to a finance committee who have no time for the careful checking of items and comparison of prices. Who is to know whether the figure named in a bill is the one specified in the contract six months before? It is "everybody's business" and to everybody it will be left until the city pays somebody to attend to it.

A recognition of Cuba's belligerency will come when it does occur with a poetic justice, for Spain was over anxious to accord to the southern states a similar recognition during the great rebellion.

Dr. J. B. Whiting was the first man to give weight to the post of state medical director in the Grand Army. He will continue the good work on a broader scale in the national organization.

Wisconsin democrats sleep with one eye open these nights for fear somebody will make them state central committee chairman under cover of darkness.

When democrats fight for "personal liberty" as they do in New York this year, it is apt to be the sort of liberty that permits personal immorality and official corruption.

England isn't able to beat our little boats such as the Niagara and the Ethelwyn to say nothing of full sized crafts such as the Defender.

Where is the "dollar wheat" that was to follow the repeal of the McKinley tariff.

To think anybody should believe that Oshkosh used too much water—even for putting out a fire.

Nobody need "shop" in Chicago while Janesville merchants offer the variety they do this fall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL.

Don't forget the best ball of the season given by the Imperial Band tonight in the Armory. Smith's orchestra will play.

You'll miss a good time if you don't take in the dance given by the Imperial band at the Armory this evening.

HAVE your bicycles oiled, repaired and stored for the winter at a reasonable price. Walter Helms, 29 South Main street.

We have during the past two days fitted out about one hundred ladies with new, nobby, stylish garments, and in order to give others an opportunity we have decided to hold over several hundred of these cloaks and capes until Saturday night, giving you all a chance to select. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Don't you think it would be a good idea when you want shoes to come and see our large raw stock. We will never bone you to buy. We will cheerfully show you goods and we believe we can suit you about every time. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

MANY people are attracted to the display of shoes in the Richardson Shoe Co.'s window. Richardson, Norcross Co. are the makers and the compliments on the style and patterns are not a few.

HAVE you noticed the pretty display of shoes in the Richardson Shoe Co.'s window. They are made by the

Richardson-Norcross Co., and the lot includes all the latest toes and lasts.

AUTOGRAPH QUILT FOR MRS. HODGE

Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church Give Her a Surprise.

A pretty mark of regard for Mrs. M. G. Hodge was given by the members of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society yesterday afternoon. There was a large meeting, tea was served and as the company broke up into little groups two or three stepped up behind Mrs. Hodge and laughingly threw over her shoulders an autograph quilt. The quilt bore three hundred names, embroidered on in the handwriting of the contributors. Its making had been kept a secret and surprise and pleasure made Mrs. Hodge unable for a few minutes to find words to express her thanks.

VETERANS MET AFTER MANY YEARS

Why Isaac Farnsworth and M. R. Doyan Enjoyed Each Other's Company.

Isaac Farnsworth and M. R. Doyan, of Madison, came from the same town in Vermont and fought through the war in the same regiment. Then they parted and forgot each other. When Frank Farnsworth was selling tickets for Mr. Doyan at the state fair, the latter gentleman being the treasurer of the State Agricultural society, he mentioned his father's name. This led to further conversation and resulted in Mr. Doyan's coming to Janesville to see his neighbor and comrade of years ago, and probably neither gentlemen has enjoyed a visit quite so much in a long time.

MANY HORSES HAVE DISTEMPER.

E. W. Fisher Loses Two Good Animals—Disease in Other Localities

Distemper has broken out among the horses in some parts of Rock county. At the stock farm of E. W. Fisher the disease has taken hold, he having lost two of his animals; one a valuable colt, while a horse belonging to Joe. Loeb, of this city, was the other victim. Both were taken sick and died in a short time. The disease is also reported at a number of other places, but none of these were fatal.

SOCIAL UNION TO BE REVIVED

Christ Church's Organization of Twenty Years Ago to be Reorganized

The social union of Christ Church, an organization that flourished twenty years ago, but has since died a natural death is likely to be revived. A meeting was held at the parsonage at which it was voted to reorganize the society and Mrs. A. H. Barrington, Dr. J. B. Whiting and J. V. Norcross were appointed a committee to look the matter up and report.

Cochrane-Cataphyll.

James Cochrane and Miss Hester Cantwell were married at St. Patrick's church at 7:30 o'clock last evening. Rev. Father Collins officiating and Miss Margaret Lynch and William Cantwell acting as brides maid and groomsmen. A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. James Cantwell on Pine street following the ceremony and about one hundred friends took advantage of this opportunity to extend their congratulations. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane have many friends in Janesville who will wish them much joy. They will make Janesville their home the groom being employed in the Rock River Woolen Mill.

Fair and Cooler Tonight.

Forecast: Fair and cooler tonight.

The temperature as recorded by S. C. Burnham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:
7 a. m. . . . 51 above
1 p. m. . . . 70 above
Max. . . . 70 above
Min. . . . 46 above
Wind west.

Suspenders.

New lot of them for men and boys came this morning. Lowell's Annex.

Usual Ferment in Brazil.

Rio Janeiro, Sept. 26.—A general amnesty bill has been rejected in the Chamber of Deputies by a vote of 118 to 58. Much excitement and disorder prevail and the situation is critical.

DUSTING OFF!



THE PRICES ON HATS.

We have a few KNOX 1st grades left which we will close at \$4.50—always sold at \$5. 2nd Grades to close at \$3.50—always heretofore have been \$4. Raymond Homes to close at \$2.50—always sold at \$3. We want your trade and will give you prices to get it. Will you take advantage and call.

Yours Truly,

KNEFF & ALLEN

Agency for KNOX Hats,

TO CURE PILES.

A Remedy That Will Do It and is Perfectly Safe.

We do not intend to incoarse any except articles of real merit. We therefore take pleasure in calling attention to a new pile cure which has been remarkably successful in curing every form of itching, bleeding or protruding piles. The remedy is known as the Pyramid Pile Cure and is recommended by the best medical authorities on account of its absolute safety, ease of application and instant relief from pain.

The Pyramid Pile Cure contains no opium or other poison and does not interfere with daily occupation while using. People who believe nothing but a surgical operation would cure them have been astonished at the results from a single 50 cent package of the Pyramid.

Mrs. Mary C. Tyler of Heppner, Ore., writes: One package of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely cured me of piles from which I have suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since.

Mr. E. O'Brien, Rock Bluff, Neb., says: The package of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles. I cannot thank you enough for it. The Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by all druggists at 50 Cents and \$1 per package. Treatise on cause and cure of piles mailed free by addressing Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

Mexico and Free Trade.

City of Mexico, Sept. 26.—Congress has passed with some slight verbal amendments, a bill providing for amending the federal constitution so that neither states nor municipalities shall have the right to tax foreign or domestic merchandise entering or in transit through their respective jurisdiction. The bill now goes to the Senate.

Deny the Torpedo Story.

London, Sept. 26.—A dispatch to the Times from San Sebastian quotes Senor Canovas Del Castillo, President of the Spanish Council, as saying with reference to the New York report that the Spanish cruiser, Barcetzegui, was sunk in the harbor of Havana by torpedoes that there was not the slightest ground for the statement. The government hopes to raise the ship.

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Classical Repertoire Program For Receptions, Soirees, &c.

Dance music for Balls and Club Parties a Specialty, at prices to suit the times.

H. HUYKE, Leader.
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Nothing quite
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A Thousand Novel-
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Entertainment

Largest trav-
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Or Morgiana and the Forty thieves.

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Henderson's Great Ameri-
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1 Night only
Don't Forget

120 People In the Company.

Direct
From
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Chicago
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STAR CAST.

Ezra Kendall,
John Burke,
William Broderick,
John Cain,
S'g. Bancroft,
All and Beni,
Frankie M. Raymond,
Belle Black,
Alene Croter,
Martha Irmier,
Bessie Lynch,
Nellie Lynch,
Blanche Newcombe,
Bessie Pope,
and One Hundred
More.

A TREAT IN STORE.

The Heights of Bagdad,
Ala Baba's humble home
Exterior of the Cave,
Prismatic Cave,
Cavern of the Coins,
Cavern of Coins,
Enchanting Music,
Alluring Ballet,
Gorgeous Costumes,
The Tribby Quadrille,
Spirit of the Cave,
Forests of falling water
Dance Music,
Comical Lion,
and a Thousand De-
lightful Features.

Get Seats
Early while
You can; now
On sale at
The
Box Office.

PRICES--25c to \$1.50. Carriages may be ordered at 10:40 o'clock

Cool Mornings,
You Know What They Mean.

Time to Get Your Stove Up and
Your Furnace Repaired.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE

Garland Stoves.

Nobody ever misses it when they buy a Garland. They get a stove that

Saves Coal, Saves Work, Saves Worry

And just so of our GILT EDGE FURNACES. Thousands of them in use and never a complaint.

Second
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A full line,
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And set up
In perfect
Working order.
Big saving
In price.
Call and look over
The assortment
Any day,
From 6 a. m.
To 11 p. m.

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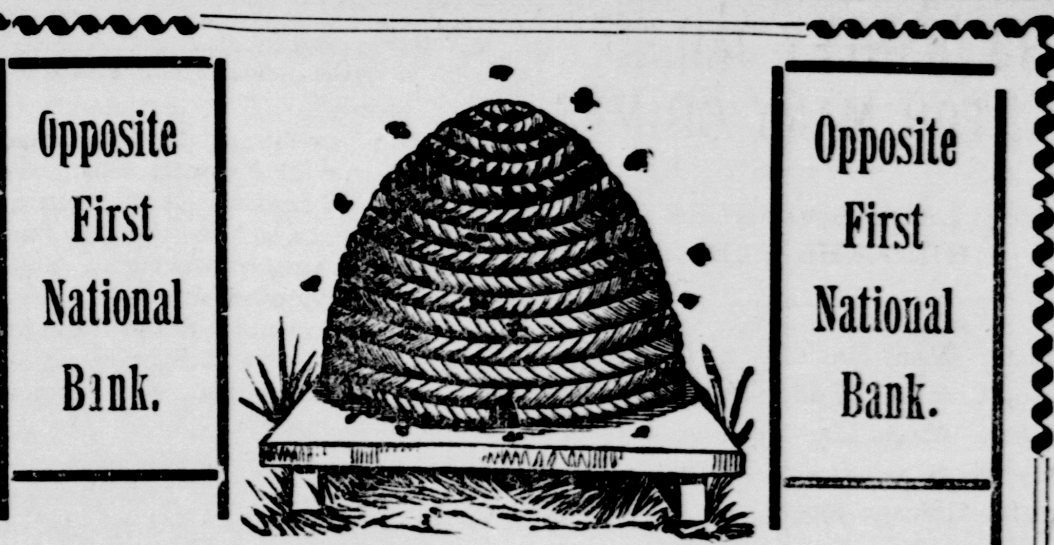
Fall days suggest the need of
Heavy Underwear,
Gloves,
Hosiery and
New Shoes.

In the Annex we have bargains--regular eye-openers, in all these lines.

Milwaukee and
River Streets.

LOWELL HARDWARE CO.,

TWO STORES



We Meant It All

We intended to surpass ourselves last week—and we did; we meant to. 'Twas really the greatest week of this wonderfully great shoe year. And because: The magnitude of the offerings; such unheard of prices for the newest, freshest goods; a veritable wilderness of the choicest "Proper" styles—all drew you to the Sale. But we don't stop—success means inspiration here! Hence the programme following—every item rich with even keener interest. Our talk and efforts are all on

Ladies' : Shoes

Ladies' Dongola Kid, Button or Lace, \$1.98
Needle, Square or Razor toe, Ludlow's
Ladies' Cloth top, Button or Lace, 2.23
all latest style Toes 2.60
Ladies' Hand Turned or Welt, beautiful
shoes can't be duplicated for \$3.50....

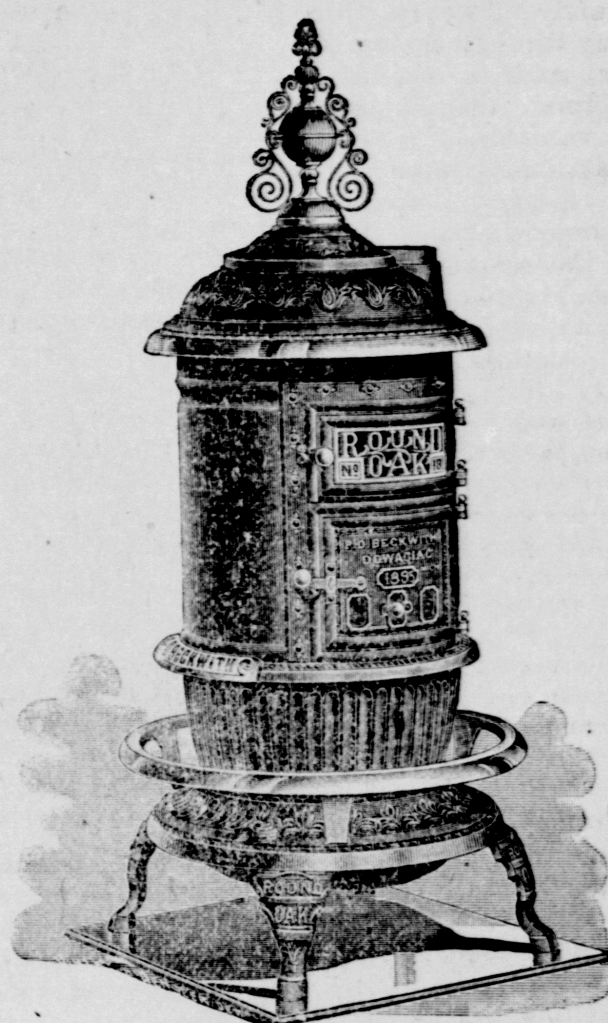


The shoes we speak of above are Ludlow make. The name is a sufficient recommend for their high class. Of course we carry plenty of cheaper goods from \$1 a pair up and we can FIT you in all sizes and styles.

THE BEE HIVE,

LEO MAYER, Prop.

Opp. 1st Nat'l Bank.



MRS. KANLEY JAILED FOR MANY CRIMES

NOTED LADY SWINDLER IS BEHIND THE BARS.

Woman Who Has Been Going to Sue Chief of Police Acheson For Illegal Arrest Has Secured \$20,000 By Her Schemes and Her Picture Is in the Chicago Rogues Gallery.

Chief Acheson showed the discernment of a born police officer when he turned a deaf ear to the protestations of innocence made by Mrs. C. J. Kanley, whom Officer Hogan arrested some time ago for soliciting money to care for orphan children. Mrs. Kanley made all kinds of threats when the chief talked to her at the jail after Officer Hogan had locked her up, but the chief remembered the time when he had arrested her himself some years ago, and laughed at her talk. When she was turned loose, she threatened to sue the chief for illegal imprisonment, but she didn't do it, and for a good reason—her criminal record is about half a mile long.

Mrs. Kanley's real name is Mrs. William Seeley, and she is the divorced wife of William Seeley, a cattle buyer for Swift & Co., packers, at Kansas City. At one time she and her husband lived in elegant style, and Mrs. Seeley's receptions at her handsome home on Penn street were attended by the elite of Kansas City. The husband secured a divorce and Mrs. Seeley came to Chicago.

The first heard of her in that city was in February, 1891, when she was arrested at the instance of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. At that time she was conducting what she was pleased to call the Bethany Home, at 1026 West Monroe street. She was arrested for sending children out in the street to beg and was fined \$300.

She then left Chicago, but in January, 1892, returned and was again arrested in that city for soliciting money for the Bethany Home. Six indictments were returned against her, but they were dismissed at the request of the Woman's League. Mrs. Seeley is about fifty-five years old and can charm money out of anybody who will listen to her.

Has Collected \$20,000. She is known to the police of several large cities as the most successful woman swindler in the country. It is believed that in the last five years Mrs. Seeley has collected upward of \$20,000 from charitably disposed persons, and she has been the sole beneficiary.

There can be no mistake about her identity, the Chicago papers say, as a number of the police have seen her and she is recognized by them. Among others who identified her was Detective Andy Rohan. He remembers her as the woman who two years ago, under the name of Kenney, rented three houses on Prairie avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, and cutting through the walls which joined them, made a mansion, calling it the Hoffman house. She fitted it up with valuable furniture bought on the installment plan, secured a number of good boarders, collected all the money she could, paying out none, and was reaping a harvest of money when arrested.

She is further known to have collected over \$5,000, avowedly in the interest of charity, from residents along Market street about six years ago. Her picture is in the rogues' gallery at Chicago.

MAN WITH "JIMS" GOT HOSTILE Swede with the "Shakes" Tried To Clear Out the Jail.

Chief Acheson arrested a Swede with a well developed case of "jims" yesterday, and last night the gentleman who was pestered by snakes, attacked "Bolivar" Ryan and Patrick Mulcairns, two fellow prisoners, and things were lively until the turnkey stopped the row. The Swede had a club, and although Ryan was handicapped with a carbuncle on his finger, and Mulcairns had only nature's weapons, they managed to entertain the Swede to his complete satisfaction.

C. E. JENKINS TO TAKE AN APPEAL. Claims He Was Defending His Wife When He Hit Ward.

Charles Jenkins was convicted of assaulting Charles Ward and fined \$1 and costs, yesterday afternoon, the case being tried in the municipal court. Mr. Jenkins will appeal the case to the circuit court, claiming that when he struck the complainant, Charles Ward, he did it in the defense of his wife.

MRS. FOOLE'S BIRTHDAY MARKED. Forty Lady Friends Helped Her Celebrate a Pleasant Occasion.

Forty lady friends helped Mrs. Elizabeth Foole celebrate her seventy-fourth birthday from three to six o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Forest Park home of Hon. and Mrs. Flory Norcross. Dainty refreshments were served and cards made the afternoon pass all too quickly.

CAME HERE TO GET MARRIED. Sheboygan Falls Painter Weds a Rockford Girl at Janesville.

Justice Richardson was called upon to perform a wedding ceremony this noon, the contracting parties being Solon W. Parnley, a painter from Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and Miss Elizabeth W. Zeise, of Rockford, Ill.

For preserving. Nice lot. Dunn Bros.

MASONS GO TO MILTON JUNCTION

Delegation From Eastern Star Lodge Are Pleasantly Entertained.

Fifty-four members of the local chapter, Order of Eastern Star, visited Milton Junction last evening leaving at 7 o'clock via the St. Paul road and returning at midnight. They were hospitably entertained and had a very enjoyable time. Speeches were made during the evening by Mrs. Sherwood, T. W. Goldin, F. H. Baack and J. M. Harrington.

HENRY EGERTON'S HOUSE BURNED

Reports of a Destructive Fire in the Town of Center Today.

Supervisor Henry Egerton's house in Footville is reported to have burned this morning. The house was a county landmark, having been built by Ezra A. Foote, one of the pioneers of Wisconsin, in the "forties." Mr. Foote was Mr. Egerton's father-in-law.

SMALL FIRE PUT OUT AT BELOIT

Wooden Fine In Thompson & Sons' Plow Factory Catches Fire.

A large wooden ventilator over a blast furnace in the Thompson & Sons' Plow factory caught fire but a private alarm from the works brought the firemen to the scene in a hurry and one stream of water soon smothered the flames.

JOHN F. SULLIVAN MUCH BETTER

Dr. Mills Now Says That His Chances To Get Well Are Good

John F. Sullivan was much better this morning and his chances for recovery are now much better than at any time since he was shot.

TOWN TALES ARE TERSELY TOLD.

GUNS—Company A. drills tonight.

DANCE—The Imperial band's dance occurs tonight.

'BUS—The Park Hotel 'bus will soon be running again.

SMOKE—Quirk's Red Duke, a clear Havana filled five cent cigar.

HOUSE—J. F. Spoon will build a new house on Washington street.

STORE—Riverview Park will soon have a grocery store, it is said.

WATCH for the date of Mrs. M. E. Woodstock's grand millinery opening.

FAIR—Sixty tickets were sold from this city today for the Elkhorn fair.

NEWS—Considerable local news will be found on the third page tonight.

TEAM—Mosers Bros., the furniture dealers, have a handsome new team of horses.

WALKS—Since the re-grade of Fifth avenue, many new sidewalks have been built.

TROLLEY—Superintendent Proudfoot's trolley party last evening was a great success.

PHONES—Manager Willitz says that many new telephones are being put in these days.

FOR SALE—Agency for Chicago and Milwaukee morning papers. Enquire E. S. Haggart.

KILLED—One of M. Buob's horses kicked its mate so severely that the injured animal died.

HORSES—Complaints are made that horses are allowed to run at large on South Franklin street.

CHEAPER—Local restaurant men were notified this morning of the decrease in the price of oysters.

CRUSHER—A number of spectators were at the Milmore stone quarry today, watching the stone crusher at work.

PEEPED—"Jack the Peeper" has returned to Janesville and has caused Second ward people to load their guns.

DANCE—Janesville will be represented at a private dancing party to be given by the students of Beloit college tomorrow night.

SCHOOL books, school supplies; wholesale and retail. Prices reduced on most goods at Sutherlands' book store, Janesville.

The dance to be given by the Imperial band takes place this evening at the armory. Smith's full orchestra. Tickets 50c each.

For all kind of repairing on sewing machines, musical instruments, bicycles, parasols, lock and gun smithing go to F. F. Pierson.

INSULTED—A First ward lady was very much insulted this morning when a second-hand dealer offered her sixty cents for her new sofa.

ENTERTAINED—Mrs. C. T. Winslow entertained a few lady friends in a very enjoyable way last evening at her pleasant Forest Park home.

CARS—Four extra coaches were attached to the Milwaukee passenger train this morning, for the accommodation of passengers to the Elkhorn fair.

We have put in our show cases today a very choice line of chocolates of all kinds. They sell at 25 cents a pound. Thompson & Hall, River street.

SURPRISED—Twenty four friends of Miss Marsha Poenichen perpetrated a surprise on her at the home of her parents on Lincoln street and games, music and refreshments made the occasion a thoroughly enjoyable one.

ENTERTAINMENT—Charles F. Craig, impersonator, dramatic reader and humorist, will give an entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church on Saturday, September 28. Admission, adults, 25 cents; children, 10 cents.

ANNIVERSARY—The tenth anniversary of the Woman's Missionary society will be held in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. An informal social will follow the program and refreshments will be served. All the members of the church and congregation are invited.

WATER WORKS COST LEFT TO REFEREES

FORMAL PROPOSITION IS MADE TO THE CITY.

Water Company Offers to Submit the Question of Cost, Profits and Expenses to Arbitration and to Produce All Books as Well as Bills and Vouchers.

A formal proposition to decide the cost of the water works by arbitration was made today.

The offer was placed in Alderman S. B. Heddles' hands by Attorney E. M. Hyzer.

It will be discussed at a special meeting of the water committee tomorrow or Saturday evening.

When Alderman Heddles was seen by a Gazette representative today he was unwilling to make the contents of the proposition public.

"The committee has been severely blamed—unjustly in nearly every case—for making its affairs public before a report has been made to the council," he explained. "I have no objection to saying that I have received a proposition; have consulted Attorneys Jeffris and McElroy about it, and will call a special meeting of the committee. More than this I don't think I would be justified in saying. The committee feel they have the support of public sentiment—the failure of the attempt to get up a petition in behalf of the water company showed this. We are anxious to be perfectly fair, but to see that the city's interests are thoroughly guarded."

"Will the proposition received today be laid before the council?"

"Doubtless; although that would depend upon the legal aspect of the matter."

Text of the Proposition.

At the water company office a copy of the proposition was shown. It reads as follows:

To Stewart B. Heddles, Chairman Special Committee, and to the City of Janesville: The Janesville Water Company will sell its plant to the city of Janesville for a price to be fixed in accordance with the contract originally made between the city of Janesville and Turner, Clark & Rawson, dated May 5, 1887, and approved May 10, 1887.

The company will submit the question of what it actually cost to construct the water works plant, extensions and improvements, also what has been the expenses, earnings and net income of the company, to arbitration.

For that purpose the company will produce a detailed, itemized statement of the cost of construction with vouchers and receipts for same. The company will also produce a copy of the books of the Wisconsin Construction Co., showing the cost of the plant to the Wisconsin Construction Company. The company will also produce its own books, vouchers and papers. Respectfully, EDWARD M. HYZER, Attorney for Janesville Water Co.

To Avoid Litigation.

"I have made every effort for weeks to get a business investigation of this matter without litigation and have totally failed," said Attorney Hyzer. "This proposition is submitted as the conclusion of the negotiation on the part of the water company. The committee has solicited from the company a price at which the company will sell its plant refusing however to investigate the question of cost and this proposition is made in reply to the committee's request."

No papers in the suit to annul the franchise have been served yet and when the committee meets the bearing of the arbitration proposition on the suit will be discussed.

Clothes a Stout Man Demands.

Soot and fat men require clothes made to fit their forms and cannot be fitted at all with ordinary ready made clothes. They require the following big measurements: 36 to 50 inch breast measure; 28 to 30 inch sleeves of coat; 34 to 50 inch waist measure; and 27 to 34 inch seams for pants. With our Pickwick system of tailoring we fit perfectly with any of these measurements. Don't buy suit, pants or overcoat until you have called on us. Zeigler.

More Fruit.

It's a pleasure to know that in a small place like Janesville, with the large competition there is, I have sold in the past ten days two straight car loads of peaches at retail. It proves that the people appreciate good goods. Now I have one more car of fancy mixed fruit; peaches, grapes, Delaware grapes, pears and fancy canning pears. We make as a leader fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, 10 pounds for 25c; cranberries, 8c a quart, and other goods in proportion. Come and see us. Jno. Spivak.

Don't Delay

Getting your stoves up. Remember, our warehouse contains 400 stoves, and if everybody waits until cold weather someone's stove will be delayed. Grasp time by its long flowing forelock. Lowell Hardware Co.

All Sizes

in underwear in our stock. Remember, we paid only 50 cents on the dollar for much of the lot, and can give you the benefit. Lowell's Annex.

Green Tomatoes.

For preserving, pickling or canning, by the bushel. Dunn Bros.

Tomatoes

By the bushel for canning purposes. Dunn Bros.

PLAY—Ali Baba tonight.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

Mrs. WILLIAM SADLER was in Chicago today.

A. GIBBEAU, of Beloit, has removed from Beloit to Janesville.

CHARLES T. WILCOX took the early morning train for Chicago.

Miss PARKS, of Madison, is visiting in the city, the guest of friends.

Miss GRACE BROWN is home after a pleasant visit with Beloit friends.

Mrs. F. MEAD and children spent the day visiting friends at Crystal Lake.

FRANK MURPHY was called to Rockford this morning by the illness of his mother.

Miss HELEN MACLEON and Miss Etta Capello returned home last evening from the east.

ATTORNEY and Mrs. John Cunningham are home from their northern pleasure trip.

ENSON HEMMING, Thomas Clark and Edwin Hemming spent the day at the Elkhorn fair.

P. L. COFFMAN and A. J. HINDS left this morning overland for the Elkhorn fair.

Mrs. ALFRED C. REYNOLDS, of Milwaukee, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. DOWER.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Wray left this morning for Chicago, to attend the wedding of their son, Glenn.

Mrs. M. SHOPEL was called to Beloit today by the illness of her daughter, Mattie, who is attending Beloit College.

CHARLES LAPOINTE is the latest addition to the street car force, he taking a place as a motorman this morning.

ROSCOE A. WHIFFIN leaves Monday for Chicago to resume his studies in the medical department of the Northwestern University.

MR. and Mrs. Frank L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Murdock were among the Janesville crowd at the Elkhorn fair today.

MR. and Mrs. Henry Cantwell and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGavock, of Beloit, attended the Cochrane-Cantwell wedding last evening.

MR. and Mrs. Walter Vrooman, of Lake Geneva, are visiting Mrs. Vrooman's brother, Grant Noyes, of the C. M. & St. P. force.

Mrs. E. C. BLEASDALE of Janesville, has gone to Iowa to visit her two daughters, Mrs. Frank Case of Clarion, and Mrs. Orrie G. Case of Belmont.

Mrs. MAGGIE JOHNSON, of 58 Elizabeth street, has fully recovered from the effects of the chloroform that a thief attempted to administer to her five weeks ago.

CANES—Rosenfeld, the enterprising clothier, "on the bride" with "the sign in the window," this morning presented Sheriff Appleby, Chief of Police Acheson and Officer Hogan with blue silver mounted canes.

J. M. BARKER TO DEAL IN GRAIN

Janesville Man Will Go Into Business at St. Louis, Missouri.

J. Morville Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Barker of the town of Janesville, who for the past six years has been connected with the Cargill Elevator Company of Minneapolis, will go to St. Louis where he will engage in the grain business on his own hook. Mr. Barker is now visiting in Janesville, and expects to leave for St. Louis on Monday. Many Janesville friends will wish him success in his new venture.

CLAVICLE BROKEN IN A SCUFFLE

Evansville Man Hurt While at Play—Horse's Brains Dashed Out.

While Julius Erdahl, of Evansville, was engaged in a friendly scuffle with one of his brothers, he was thrown violently on the barn floor and fractured his collar bone.

Virgil Hopkins' team were frightened by the cars at his home near Evansville, and in running away one of the horses struck his head against a tree and was instantly killed.

THIEF GOT A FINE MANDOLIN.

Delavan Man's Musical Instrument Stolen From Car Here.

A Delavan young man stopped off in Janesville yesterday, on his way from Rockford home, and left his \$20 mandolin on the car seat while he went downtown. When he returned the mandolin was gone, and he hasn't seen it since.

DARKENED BY DEATH'S PALL.

Mrs. Ada C. Lapman, for years a resident of this city and well known as a nurse, died in Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. Lapman had been growing weaker for a long time, her advanced age making it impossible for her to rally. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Treadwell and will be brought to this city for burial Saturday. The remains will be taken from the depot directly to Oak Hill on the arrival of the 12:40 train brief services being conducted by Rev. Dr. Hodge. Besides a daughter Mrs. Lapman leaves a sister, Mrs. Burrell of this city.

Pretty Articles

Such as stamped linens and laces can be found at our store in great variety. Prices are low on all this line. Lowell's Annex.

A Thatcher

Second-hand furnace, in the best of repair, goes to some one very cheap. Lowell Hardware Co.

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IN GOOD STYLE.

Order Your Hacks of Davis.

TELEPHONE 69.

FIVE CASES BEGUN AGAINST THE CITY

HIGH SCHOOL CONTRACTORS GO INTO COURT.

Surviving Member of the Firm of Clark & Stewart Sued by Sub-Contractors and the City is Made a Party—Two Disputes Must be Settled.

There is a hitch between contractors on the new high school building and five suits against the city and Contractor Stewart have been started by sub-contractors. Two disputes—one of \$1200 and one of \$1000—are involved. The plaintiffs are:

Roderick McKinzie, represented by Fethers, Jeffris & Fife.

Fife Brothers, represented by Fethers, Jeffris & Fife.

George T. Prichard, represented by Duwiddie & Wheeler.

H. Mooers Company, represented by Mahoney & Cunningham.

Kent Paint Company, represented by Fethers, Jeffris & Fife.

George T. Prichard is the only one who has filed a complaint, he stating the amount of his claim at \$685. The other plaintiffs have merely filed summons, City Attorney McElroy responding for the city and E. M. Hyzer for Contractor Stewart. The suits are brought under a special statute and are as near garnishee proceedings as the law permits against municipal corporations. The sub-contractors sue Contractor Stewart, surviving member of the firm of Clark & Stewart, for money due them, and make the city a party. Mr. Stewart has been unable to pay because the city has not paid him, there being a question as to \$1,000 worth of extras—doors, shelves, painting, safe door, etc.

Should the Bill be Scaled Down?

As to the claims made by sub-contractors upon Mr. Stewart there is no dispute except in one instance. Roderick McKinzie claims \$23,000 for brick laying and Mr. Stewart thinks \$21,000 is enough.

When the school board first advertised for bids the specifications included \$21,000 worth of terra cotta. On the brick work under these specifications Mr. McKinzie is said by Mr. Stewart to have bid \$23,000.

The terra cotta was afterwards omitted by the board, but there is a question as to whether a change was made in the McKinzie bid. Mr. McKinzie says Clark & Stewart gave him the brick work contract at \$23,000, and \$23,000 he means to have.

The suits will go before the circuit court in a lump. No money can be paid to contractors by the city until a decision is rendered, as the actions tie up the building fund effectually.

"There is no truth in the rumor that payment was withheld by the school board because of the cracks in the building," said a commissioner this afternoon. "The only cracks are in the plastering and are not serious. Our dispute has been as to the amount charged for extras."

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TOILET ACCESSORIES.

Sleeves to Be Smaller—Marie Antoinette Fichus and Collars.

The square collar has taken new forms, the latest being that with two square tabs falling over the arm as a substitute for the frill or capelet of last year. The white satin collar covered with guipure lace is a pretty addition to a dress and makes a simple muslin or grenadine dress look very smart. Canvas grenadines, shot grounds with narrow corded stripes, make useful gowns. One guipure collar will do duty for several dresses.

Ribbon is so cheap that it may be used lavishly to trim dress bodices. Besides the belt ribbon it is usual to have a second piece starting from under the arm and crossing the bodice to meet the belt, ending from the opposite in a bunch of bows. Broad sash ribbon sewed under the arm on both sides and brought down to the waist in front can be given corselet form to confine fullness of bodice, and long ends falling down to the hem are finished with a gimp or jet ornament.

The newest sleeves show indications of a decrease in size, and winter will doubtless find them decidedly smaller.

The Marie Antoinette fichu has developed along several different lines and given



WALKING SUIT.

rise to various pretty adjuncts of the toilet. They are made of very light, thin material, such as gauze, tulle, mousseline de sole, linen or lace; have long ends and are finished with ruffles or plaits trimmed at the edge with lace or embroidery, according to the material of the fichu itself. They are tied at the bosom, the front of the waist or the back and are draped and held in place by jeweled pins.

The illustration shows a gown of platinum gray cloth. The bodice is finished around the foot with a band of white cloth stitched and fastened at the ends with light horn buttons. This band does not quite meet in front, ending in a point at either side of the bodice. The tight jacket bodice has a short rippled basque opening in front over a chemise of gold colored surah with a plain belt and collar of white cloth. The jacket has a large, square collar of white cloth, upon which are buttoned the revers and the plait which finishes the top of the sleeve. There are buttoned cuffs at the wrists, and the jacket and collar are finished with lines of stitching.

JUDIC CHOLET.

CHILDREN'S FASHIONS.

Serviceable Linens and Galatee Cloth For the Little Ones.

Striped linens with shot grounds are much used for children's wear, as they keep clean longer than print. The close texture throws off dust, and even wet sand leaves little trace if it is allowed to dry before being shaken and brushed off.

Coarse straw hats of an improved sailor shape afford the face the best protection from the sun. The flapping bonnet and wide leaved hat have fallen somewhat into disuse. For traveling the Stuart bonnet, made of white silk or foulard, is worn, as the stiff straw hat prevents a child from resting comfortably against the back of the seat.

There was a time when the suggestion of adding flowers to the ribbon trimming of a little girl's hat would have been cried down, but since the reign of simple flowers began—copies of honeysuckles, corn-



GIRL'S COSTUME.

flowers, clover, forget-me-not, daisies and seeded dandelion, which every milliner uses—children have shared in the revival of hedgerow blossoms.

Galatee cloth, so much used in England during the summer for outing gowns, is a most serviceable material for children's suits. Blouse costumes for very little boys are made of it in both solid colors and stripes, or the two combined, and as it has a solid, fine twill it bears washing and rough usage very well. The favorite tints are blue, red and tan.

The fashion of extremely elaborate baby linen has again come in, and an infant's petticoats, shirts and gowns are now a mass of embroidery and lace. This is a doubly expensive style, since the clothes are not only costly in the first place, but require the most careful laundering and are so fragile that they drop apart after comparatively few washings. Very plain garments of the finest material are more suitable for an infant than such excessive elaboration and are easily made and washed.

An illustration is given of a plain but pretty gown for a girl of 11 or 12 years. It is made of fine checked wool with an over-pattern of red spots. The skirt is plaited. The bodice is of blouse form, with three plaits back and front. The full sleeves are plaited in at the wrist to form a cuff and finished with steel buttons. Around the neck is a collar of embroidered batiste, fastened with a red cord in front. A red ribbon belt is tied behind, with long bows and ends.

JUDIC CHOLET.

Maud—but we could never make both ends meet on your salary, Bob.

Bob—Oh, yes we could—with what I'd borrow of your father.—Demorest's Magazine.

A Fading Flower.

Just she and I all alone beneath the stars so calm and bright; I told her that her cheeks were like twin lilies, pure and white; But in the morning as I brushed my powdered vest for half an hour I realized the lilies must have been some other kind of flour.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Settled.

"I had a long argument with Brown this morning on the money question, and I convinced him."

"So he told us."

"Ha! he acknowledged to you, then, that I understood it?"

"Yes; he said he'd rather be convinced that you did than be talked to death any day."—To Date.

The Proof of It.

As they passed an open gateway a dog within the inclosure growled and bristled up very perceptibly, whereupon Jester remarked: "No doubt about his being a watchdog."

"How can you tell?" inquired Quester.

"Why," returned Jester, "didn't you see the hairspring?"—Richmond Dispatch.

Vegetable Diet.

Jones—That's all nonsense about eating meat being injurious to health. My ancestors for hundreds of years ate meat.

Vegetarian—Yes, and where are they now? Dead, aren't they?—Texas Siftings.

Entirely Consistent.

Johnnie (the office boy)—Old Berry, the grocer, is downstairs and wants to know why you didn't answer his letter about last month's bill.

Editor—Tell him he forgot to inclose a stamp.—N. Y. Recorder.

A Regular Snap.

"What is Smith doing now?"

"He is traveling with a circus."

"Pretty hard work, isn't it?"

"No; he has nothing to do except to stick his head in the lion's mouth twice a day."—Texas Siftings.

Busy Johnny.

"Well, Johnny," said a doting uncle to his little nephew, who had been fishing all day, "did you catch a good many fish?"

"No, uncle, but I drowned a good many worms."—London Tit-Bits.

His Terrible Suspense.

"I'm awfully uneasy about my wife!"

"Why—what?"

"I saw her go into the milliner's shop across the way just now."—Chicago Record.

A Terrible Fate.

Jones—There is one thing worse than dying.

Brown—What is that?

Jones—Living until all the people you can borrow from are dead.—Truth.

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For further particulars apply to the nearest coupon ticket agent or address GEO. H. HEAFFORD, Gen'l. Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y., Chicago.

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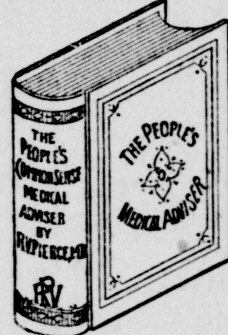
Furnace and tin work of all kinds done on short notice by experienced men. Lowell Hardware Co.

May Set Europe by the Ears.

Things are not going in China as John Bull wants them to. Russia is getting too firm a grip, and France has made a treaty that cuts squarely across his interests, and against which he is likely to protest. Now comes this killing and maiming of British subjects to complicate the situation, and call for a protest and perhaps something stronger from Great Britain. Japan's growing jealousy and fear of Russia enters into these complications to a very large extent, and Great Britain as Japan's next friend, is intimately concerned in the outcome of this bitterness of the conqueror of China toward the power which is trying to destroy the fruits of that victory. If Salisbury takes it into his head to demand from China territorial indemnity for these missionaries' lives, and as an offset to the advantage gained by France under her treaty, there may be a clashing of interests in the far east that will set all Europe by the ears.

A GREAT BOOK FREE.

When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., published the first edition of his great work, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," he announced that after 500,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, \$1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labor and money expended in producing it, he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, twenty-one (21) one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent post-paid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. The Free Edition is precisely the same as that sold at \$1.50 except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send now before all are given away.



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other stores ask \$1.50 to \$2.00 for. Our price.....	\$.75
20 Pairs Ladies' Small Size Oxfords.	
Old price, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Massacred at.....	50
Ladies' Small Size Shoes.	
Sold before at \$2.00 to \$3.00. Goat.....	98
Ladies' Congress Gaiters.	
Sold around town at 75c. Go with us at.....	50
Baby Shoes.	
Old figure 50c. Sell at.....	25
Men's Satin Calf Line.	
Regular \$2.50 Shoes. On the altar at.....	2 00
Men's Fine Buff Shoes in Lace and Congress.	
Others want \$2.00 for. We let 'em slide at.....	1 50
Boys' Shoes.	
Go at old figure.....	1 00

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BROWN BROTHERS & LINCOLN,

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THE TENDERFOOT'S FRIEND

TAURUS ON GUARD.

Scheme of a New York Farmer to Protect His Premises.

Farmer Jackson, of the town of Thompson, N. Y., has adopted a novel mode of keeping trout fishermen off his premises. The old farmer has a splendid trout stream of pure spring water running through his farm, and for years has been bothered with boys and "city fellers," who, with rod and line, would traverse his fields and tramp down the growing grass and grain, says the Pittsburg Telegraph. He put up warning notices for trespassers, but the bad boys of the neighborhood would tear them down and the fishermen persisted in fishing in the brook, causing the old man to commit much sin thereby. As his house was half mile away, he could not afford to spend the time watching the preserve with a shotgun. At last he hit upon a happy expedient, and it works like a charm. This season his premises have been free from intruders. Jackson last year became the possessor of a fine blooded Jersey bull. It carries a splendid pair of horns, and is as vicious and ugly as any of the bulls used in the bullfights of Spain. In the field through which the brook flows the bull has been allowed to roam free. Whenever a stranger enters the forbidden inclosure his "royal nibs" scents him from afar, and with tail erect and lowering head he charges on the intruder, who takes leg bail and makes haste to get out of the lot. A few days ago one of the city guests at Monticello, who was ignorant of the bull's presence, had just cast his fly in the stream when he heard a loud bellow and saw an angry bull making rapidly toward him. Without taking the trouble to reel his line he made for the nearest fence, which happened to be made of barbed wire. He landed on the other side just as the bull came up to him, but left a portion of the seat of his trousers clinging to the fence. The hay crop is short in Sullivan county, but the farmer refuses to sell the bull and says he will keep the animal as long as his horns are good and he retains his hatred of fishermen.

CALLS HER A DUTIFUL WIFE.

A Justice Discharges a Woman Who Beat Another at Her Husband's Order.

Mrs. Maggie Strippel, of 136 Meeker avenue, Williamsburgh, was arraigned in the Ewen street police court yesterday for striking Mrs. Alice Whalen, a cotenant, and pulling out a handful of her hair, says the New York Sun. "Just before Mrs. Strippel struck me," said Mrs. Whalen, "I stood in the hall and overheard Mrs. Strippel's husband telling her to give me a licking. I said nothing at the time, as I didn't believe she would do anything like that for her husband. The first thing I knew Mrs. Strippel was behind me, and she began to punch me and kick me, and then she pulled out my hair."

"Did you do this?" inquired Justice Murphy of Mrs. Strippel. "Yes, your honor," she said, softly, after having stood in silence for nearly a minute. "My husband ordered me to do it."

"If that's the case," said the justice, cheerfully, "you're a dutiful wife, and I'll dismiss the case and discharge you."

Mrs. Whalen looked in surprise at Justice Murphy and asked:

"You've discharged her?"

"That's what I've done," replied Justice Murphy.

MARY, THE MOURNER.

She Attended All the Funerals to Do Her Thieving.

Mary Fitzgerald, a woman who was recently brought into a New York court, was a thief of the most unique kind. She knew her profession and that as an art. Her peculiar talents were invested, and paid good dividends even she confessed. She took all the newspapers and kept track of deaths and funerals. These, in company with "Funeral" Wells, she attended. No one could mourn better than these two. And while the tears streamed down their faces and their chests were being shaken by sympathizing sobs, they would turn their nimble fingers to account by divesting every person in reach of valuables, handkerchiefs, pocket-books, etc. In this line of business "Mourning Mary" was the bright particular star. What it lacked in honesty was certainly made up in ingenuity.

Her Great Scheme.

Father—Now, see here! If you marry that young pauper, how on earth are you going to live?

Sweet Girl—We have figured that all out. You remember that old hen my aunt gave me?

"Yes."

"Well, I've been reading a poultry circular, and I find that a good hen will raise twenty chicks in a season. Well, next season there will be twenty-one hens, and as each will raise twenty more, that will be 420. The next year the number will be 8,400, the following year 168,000, and the next 3,360,000. Just think! At only twenty-five cents a piece we will have over \$590,000. Then, dear old papa, we will lend you some money to pay off the mortgage on this house."—Boston Traveler.

Probably Hereditary Criminality. Maude Gibbs, the adopted daughter of Alvin Pelton and wife, of Batavia, N. Y., vanished the other day with \$200 in gold and \$3,600 in certificates of deposit. Pelton thinks also that she took along John Toll, a farmer's son. The old couple took Maude out of the county house twenty-two years ago, when she was a babe of two months.

Worse Than a Dog. Caspar Corker—Golly, but I 'ad a narker escape a while ago."

Jonas Deadbeat—Wot?

Casper Corker—Jus' ready to knock at the door w'en I seen a big coal pile in de back yard, wid de basement win-

A WESTERN MAN-KILLER.

He Was Pained by a Reference to His Prowess at Dodge City.

It has often been noted by those favored men who, in traveling about the west, made the acquaintance of some famous killers, that the killer was always quietly and soberly reserved about the homicides he had committed and never cared to talk about them, says the Washington Post. Charles Bassett, who has great renown in the southwest as a gun-fighter and a game man, is no exception to the rule. It chanced that all of Bassett's killings were on the side of public order and occurred while he was an officer of the law. For several years Bassett was marshal of Dodge City. Bat Masterson was Bassett's deputy. It happened more than once in straightening out the destinies of Dodge that Bassett was called on to shoot—a ceremony wherein he was always careful to aim low, with gratifying results. When Luke Short—who afterward killed Jim Courtwright, a Texas desperado—was run out of Dodge, Bassett was the first man he came to in seeking help to put him back. Having secured Bassett, Luke Short gathered about him an array which had a record for cool nerve and quick, sure work with a Colt's pistol that would be hard to duplicate. Short was escorted back to Dodge by Bassett, Bat Masterson, Wyatt Earp, Bill Earp, Virgil Earp, Doc Holliday, Curly Bill, Shotgun Collins and others, who, as stark, indomitable fighters, had as much fame in their country as ever had the Black Douglass or Bruce or Wallace in his. But as to the solemn reticence of those killers when touched on as to their bloody deeds: Bassett is and has been for years, the manager of a resort in Kansas City. One winter night Bassett and several others were standing near the big stove, drinking and defying the weather. The talk had drifted to the winter days of Dodge City, when Jack Nuckols suddenly spoke up with:

"By the way, Charlie, you killed several men at Dodge City, didn't you?"

A look of pain and uneasiness came across Bassett's face like a cloud. He was staggered and worried and showed it. A profound silence fell upon the several men present and Nuckols began to grow embarrassed. For full half a minute Bassett looked at the questioner without saying a word. Then, as if a thought had come to him that he knew he was safe to act on, he helped himself to a drink of whisky all alone. When he returned he backed up to the stove, and, surveying Nuckols, said, in a mild, inquiring tone:

"Well, if I did it was right."

Nuckols hastened to assure him that no one harbored a doubt on that point and the subject was politely changed. Afterward one of the onlookers remarked:

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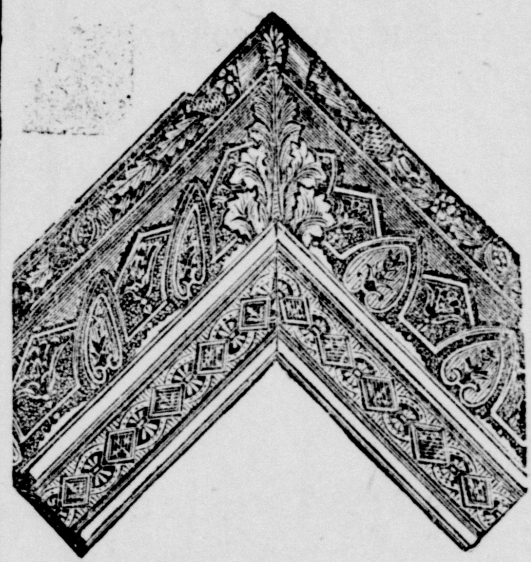
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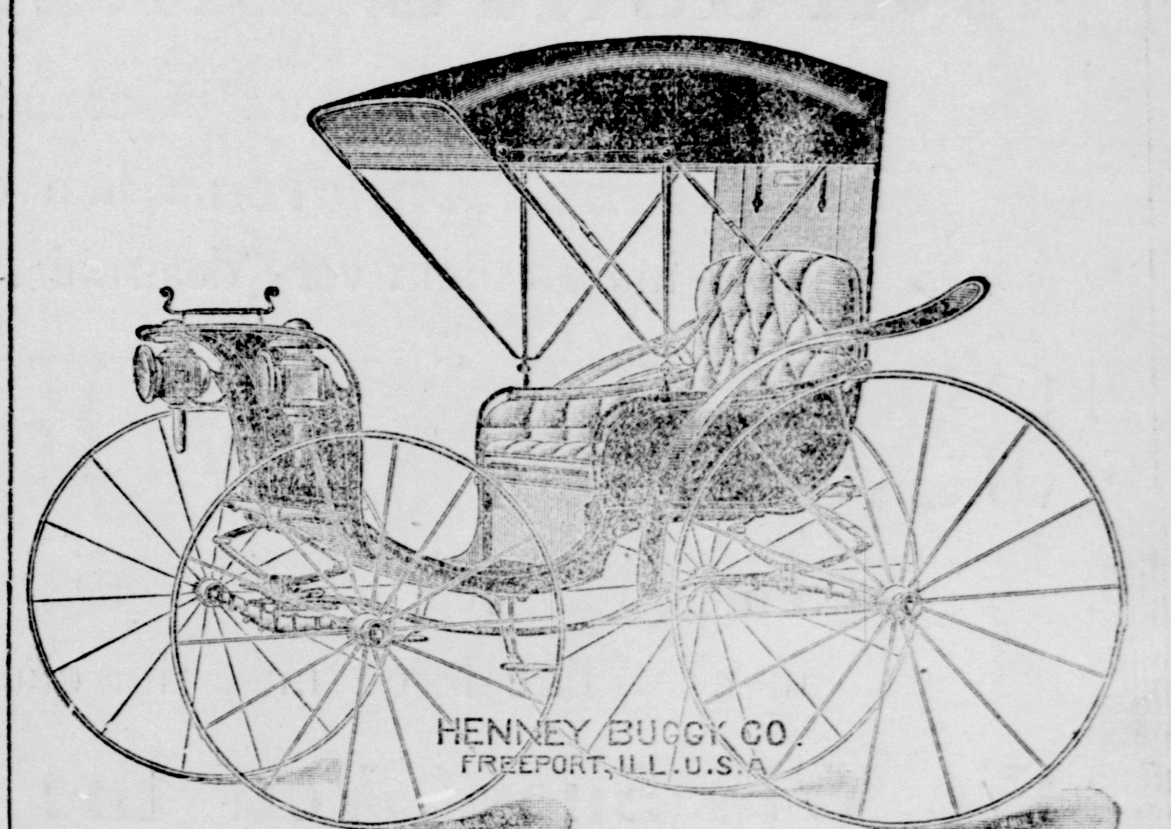
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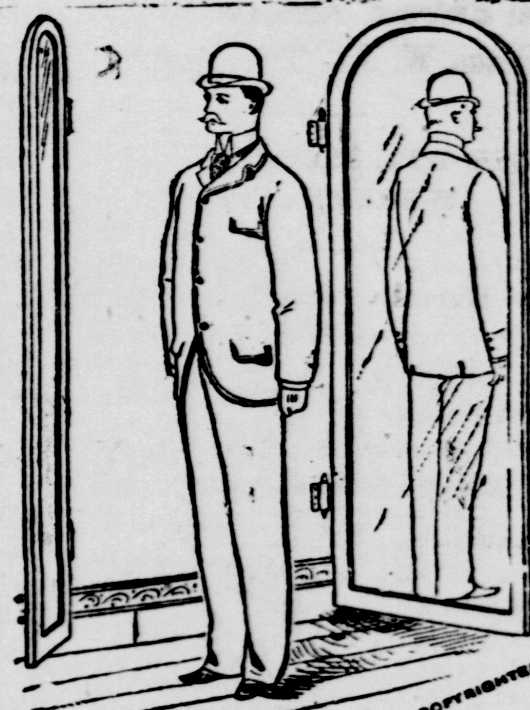
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